Today's Weather.
Fair; Warmer in the North Portion, Is Predicted.

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KUROKI ENGAGES STAKELBERG: CZAR'S SQUADRON IS SIGHTED

NEWS SUMMARY

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THE WEATHER

Fair today and probably showers and cooler for tomorrow is the forecast of the Washington weather man for Pittsburgh and this vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 80 and the minimum 60 degrees. The sun rose clear at 4:47 and set clear at 7:45 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.13	62	70	N.E.	Clear
3 p. m....	30.05	74	50	S.E.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for June 17:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum ..	80	68	Mean	70	61
Minimum ..	60	54	Precipitation	.00	.00

Nor. temp. 31 yrs. 73 | Nor. precip. 31 yrs. .11
Dfcy. for day..... 3 | Exc. since June 1.. .49
Dfcy. since June 1. 8 | Exc. since Jan 1..1.39
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.403

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Saturday; warmer in northern portion; Sunday, partly cloudy, probably showers and cooler; light variable winds.

Ohio—Fair, warmer, Saturday; Sunday, partly cloudy, probably showers and cooler; light variable winds.

West Virginia—Fair Saturday; Sunday, partly cloudy, probably showers and cooler in western portion.

Observations taken at weather ubreau stations at 8 p. m.

Chicago ...	62 Clear	Cincinnati ..	76 Clear
Nashville ..	84 Clear	Indianapolis	74 Clear
Vicksburg ..	86 Cloudy	Kansas City.	76 Cloudy
Memphis ..	86 Clear	Washington	70 Clear
Omaha	74 Clear	Louisville ..	80 Clear
St. Louis..	78 PtCldy	Des Moines.	78 PtCldy
El Paso....	94 PtCldy	Philadelphia	72 PtCldy
Buffalo	66 Cloudy	New York ...	68 PtCldy
Cairo	82 PtCldy	New Orleans	86 Clear
Huron	80 Cloudy	Helena	82 Cloudy
St. Paul...	78 Clear	Denver	68 Cloudy
Duluth	70 Cloudy	Salt Lake...	78 PtCldy

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

BIJOU—"Escaped from Sing Sing," 2 and 8 p. m.

AVENUE—Continuous vaudeville, 15 acts, headed by Charles Abbe and company, in "The Old Maid's Dell," 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Free band concerts, steeplechase horses and free vaudeville bill.

SOUTHERN PARK—Vaudeville bill afternoon and evening.

EXPOSITION PARK, ALLEGHENY—National league championship series, Pittsburgh vs. St. Louis, 3:30 p. m.

ALLEGHENY CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Six hundred and thirty-sixth free organ recital, Caspar P. Koch, city organist. Assisted by William Falck, trombonist, and Mrs. Eva Falck-Passell, mezzo-soprano, 3 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Free organ recital by Edward J. Napier, substituting for City Organist Edwin H. Lemare, 8 p. m.

Russian Cruiser Caught and Disabled in Sea of Japan.

ROUT WAS COMPLETE

Czar's Troops Slaughtered by Mikado's Men After Fight at Vafangow.

THRILLING STORY OF COMBAT

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

Niuchwang, June 17.—The advance guards of Gen. Kuroki's army are engaged with the Russian forces 15 miles south of Tashichao.

TOKYO, June 18, 10 a. m.—The Vladivostok squadron was sighted in the western entrance of the Sugaru straits at 5:30 a. m. It is thought the squadron will return to Vladivostok today. The whereabouts of the Japanese fleet is unknown.

SHAN-HAI-KWAN, June 17.—(Special Cable)—Reports from Niuchwang state that the rout of Stakelberg's army was even worse than at first reported. It is said that trainloads of wounded are constantly arriving from the front, bringing stories of the complete rout of the Russian forces, who abandoned everything and fled pell-mell, pursued by the Japanese cavalry, who cut down the fleeing and panic-stricken men by hundreds, keeping up the pursuit until the fugitives found refuge in the hills, where horsemen could not follow.

The Russian losses during the main battle are estimated at 20 officers and 1,000 men.

The retreat of the Russians, it is now said, has been cut off by the sending of a large detachment of Japanese troops from Siu-Yen to cut the railroad north of Kai-Ping, near Sung-Kia-Tien, while a strong force is said to have been landed under the protection of the gunboats near Pai-Ki-Cheng.

The Japanese cavalry is raiding along the line of the railroad between Kai-Ping and Hai-Cheng and is said to have cut it in several places, thus hindering either the retreat of the Russians or the advance of any reinforcements that might be sent to Stakelberg.

Cruiser Gromoboi Sunk.

NAGASAKI, June 17.—(Special Cable.)—A report has just reached here by way of Fukuoko telling of the sinking of the Russian cruiser Gromoboi by two Japanese cruisers. The story is given on the authority of the crew of a merchant ship which has just arrived from the north.

According to these seamen, they were in the vicinity of Oki Island when the Russian cruiser hove in sight, pursued by two Japanese warships. The merchantman was close enough to be quite certain that the Russian vessel was the Gromoboi. When first sighted she seemed to be distancing her pursuers, but shortly afterward her speed seemed to slacken and she was rapidly overhauled.

A sharp fight ensued, the Russian rapidly changing her position and trying to outmaneuver the Japanese, who finally worked such havoc that her movements became so slow that she was at their mercy. The Russians still maintained a stubborn resistance and brought a heavy fire to bear on the attackers. The merchantman was by this time a great distance from the fighting ships, but the sailors say that the Japanese did not relax their fire until the Russian ship had been so badly damaged that she sank.

Cannon Heard in Japan.

TOKYO, June 17.—A report has been received from the police station at Saga, near Sasebo, saying that sounds of cannonading have been heard off the coast. It is possible that a Japanese fleet has met the Russians.

The steamer Katsuno was sunk off Moji last night as a result of colliding with the steamer Yamatokan. Both vessels were on their way to rescue the survivors of the transports Hitachi and Sado.

VLADIVOSTOK, June 17.—The commander of the fortress, Gen. Lavroff, has issued an order warning all civilians to make immediate provision to send their families into the interior, so as to avoid peremptory expulsion at a moment of sudden necessity. There are 3,000 women and children here.

GENSAN, via Seoul, June 17.—(Special Cable, Herald Copyright.)—An engagement is reported to have taken place in Magankai pass, 25 miles west of this place. The Japanese reinforcements

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LA FOLLETTE LOST CONTEST

Wisconsin "Stalwarts" to Be Seated in National Convention.

TO CONTINUE FIGHT

A Leader of Defeated Faction Declares War Will Be Carried to the Polls.

FAIRBANKS IS AVAILABLE

By CHESTER D. POTTER.
(Staff Correspondent.)

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

Chicago, June 17.—By unanimous vote the Republican national committee today decided to seat the "stalwarts," the contestants in the Wisconsin case. Senators Spooner and Quarles led the "stalwarts" in their successful fight, defeating the "half-breed" faction led by Gov. LaFollette. The four delegates-at-large of the "stalwarts" are Senators John C. Spooner and Joseph V. Quarles, Congressman Joseph W. Babcock and Emil Baensch.

The committee had an all-day session at the Coliseum devoted exclusively to the Wisconsin contest, and its decision was not reached until late this afternoon. The followers of Gov. LaFollette are very bitter. They say they will carry the matter to the floor of the convention, and if defeated there will submit it to the voters at home. There are now two state tickets in the field in Wisconsin, with the exception of presidential electors, and Gov. LaFollette is a candidate for re-election. Speaking for the governor, Walter Hauser, secretary of state, tonight gave out the following:

"It is an outrageous steal. We will go before the committee on credentials and from there to the floor of the convention. We will fight to the extremest ditch, and then carry the contest back to Wisconsin and let the people settle it."

Fairbanks is Probability.

Senator Charles W. Fairbanks arrived today. He refused to make any statement for publication relative to his candidacy for the vice presidential nomination. His position as outlined by himself to a friend, is as follows:

"I have no desire for this honor. I have not wanted it at any time. My position today is unchanged. If the convention by a decisive majority, tenders me the nomination, I will accept. Personally, I shall make no effort to secure the nomination, and my friends, so far as I am concerned, will not be asked to make a move in my behalf."

This is Mr. Fairbanks' position. He does not want the honor. Nevertheless it seems quite probable that it will be tendered him, that he will be nominated; if for no other reason, because no one else of eligible caliber is making a fight for it. Congressman Hitt has strong backing. His age and his health are, however, barriers which practically place him out of consideration. The unexpected may happen. If it does it will come in the form of a dark horse, as yet given no prominence in this connection.

The national chairmanship issue is still unsettled. The committee hopes to induce President Roosevelt to reconsider his decision. Upon the arrival of Senator Lodge and Cornelius Bliss they will be informed by the committee of its stand in the matter. They will be asked as friends of the president and as trusted counsellors of the party to urge upon the president the necessity of selecting a practical and experienced politician to take charge of the campaign.

Olive Branch on Chairmanship.

Until Mr. Roosevelt has had the matter placed before him by his closest friends, the committee will take no formal action. Should the present committee, by reason of re-election or by influence with its successors, dominate the new national committee, it may, in the event that the president insists upon Cortelyou, elect a man who appeals more strongly from the practical viewpoint. The most conservatie utterance yet made for publication by a member of the committee, in fact, the only one, was tonight given The Gazette by Harry S. New, member from Indiana. Mr. New said:

"Nothing will be done until the arrival of Mr. Lodge. If"—and he placed especial emphasis on the "if"—"Mr. Lodge says the president insists upon the selec-

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What It Takes to Make Some Folks See.

LA FOLLETTE MEN WILL FIGHT ON

Will Continue in Court Their Battle With the Stalwarts.

MORE TROUBLE IN WISCONSIN

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

Milwaukee, Wis., June 17.—The La-Follette faction of the Republican party in Wisconsin is expected to try and defeat the election of a Roosevelt electoral ticket in this state, in revenge for the refusal of the national committee to seat the LaFollette contestants. This course is understood to have been mapped out by the La-Follette leaders, who made threats of such a proceeding when they presented their case to President Roosevelt a few weeks ago. They declared that the electors selected by their convention would be placed on the ticket with the La Follette state ticket and not with the stalwart ticket, even if the stalwats were declared to have named the regular Republican ticket of the state. In this even votes cast for the Cook, or stalwart ticket, may fail to be recorded for the national ticket, while all the Democratic straight tickets will include votes for the Democratic electoral ticket.

The fight for recognition on the part of the La Follette ticket is not over, however, for the courts are yet to be appealed to and the case will be carried to the state supreme court before the official state ballot is printed. The stalwarts have assured President Roosevelt that their efforts will be devoted to ensuring him the electoral vote of Wisconsin regardless of division of the state vote which result necessarily follows.

It is taken for granted that the Democrats of Wisconsin will now proceed to select a ticket which will meet the support of the La Follette Republicans, who will vote for a Democrat rather than see a Stalwart Republican elected governor.

Local papers tonight secured expressions from Republicans all over the state on the result of the contest and while the Spooner Republicans rejoice in the result there is a definite threat in the statement made by practically every one of the La Follette leaders. The Milwaukee newspaper which represents the La Follette faction will editorially declare tomorrow that the result of the hearing is an outrage on the La Follette men of the state, and that they will resent the decision against them.

TWO ALLEGHENY WOMEN AMONG SLOCUM VICTIMS

Were Visiting Friends in St. Mark's Parish, New York, and Their Names Appear in List of Identified Dead.

In one of the New York morgues, numbered among the identified dead, it is almost certain that the bodies of two Allegheny women await the arrival of friends to claim them. Mrs. Lizzie Meininger, aged 57, and her daughter, Mrs. Lillie Smith, aged 25, were visiting friends in East Ninety-third street, New York. This is in St. Mark's parish. Mrs. Meininger's name appears among the identified dead. With her on the banks of North Brother island, near where the General Slocum sank on Wednesday, was found a younger woman, who has been identified as Mrs. Mary Smith. Both women traveled east a week ago last Wednesday on passes given them by Mayor Wyman. Mrs. Smith's pass was made out for Mrs. Mary Smith. This, it is presumed, caused the mistake in the first name. At the family residence, 42 Hamilton street, Troy Hill, the members of the Meininger family were certain last night that their mother and sister were lost, and their grief was pathetic.

Not a suspicion of the possible fate that has overtaken theis relatives reached the Meininger family until last night, when Mrs. Clara Luther, a friend of the family, called and read from a paper she had with her the names of Mrs. Meininger and Mrs. Smith as among those whose identity had been established at one of the New York morgues. One of Mrs. Meininger's sons endeavored by telephone to obtain some definite information regarding the fate of his mother and sister, but at a late hour last night had heard nothing.

Since leaving Allegheny last week the two women had been visiting Mrs. Kate Crosby in East Ninety-third street. This is in the parish of St. Mark's church, from which the picnickers went to their trip on the General Slocum. Both women are members of St. Paul's Lutheran church of Allegheny, which is of the same denomination as St. Mark's in New York. On Tuesday last the family received a letter from Mrs. Smith, in which she said she and her mother were to leave New York in a few days to visit friends in New Jersey. Mrs. Smith asked that any mail sent them should be addressed to the Crosby residence in New York, from where it would be forwarded to them.

It is the supposition of the family that the women were identified by the passes that were found in their pocketbooks. The Meininger family cannot understand why some word has not been sent them by the Crosby family, unless it be possible that the entire family was lost in the burning of the Slocum. Mrs. Smith wore two rings, a gold watch, and a locket engraved with her initials "L. M. S." Mrs. Meininger wore a plain gold wedding ring and a black turban, the only hat she had with her. Mrs. Smith had been married but four years. Her husband, George Smith, is a traveling salesman, and on Thursday night left for Chicago on a western trip. Peter Meininger, husband of the elder woman, is also a traveling salesman, but is at home. Mrs. Meininger's other children are Mrs. Amelia Kress, the Misses Anna, Clara, Edna and Ada, and her sons, Louis Harry, Lawrence and Elmer. The family expects to receive definite word from New York today.

BODIES FOUND NUMBER 559

Fifty-Seven Victims of Slocum Disaster Yet Unidentified.

STILL 400 MISSING

Thousands of Bereaved in Stricken St. Mark's Parish Bow Heads in Silent Mourning.

CORONER'S PROBING IS BEGUN

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, June 17.

Fifty-seven unidentified bodies lie at the morgue tonight, the grim, silent testimony of the fact that of the 400 still reported missing these are dead, burned or crushed beyond all recognition as the result of the burning of the steamer General Slocum. The work of the divers in the sunken hulk continues unceasingly, but only 18 bodies all told were reported found today. Five hundred and fifty-nine bodies have been recovered and tabbed by the coroner.

Restored to the calm contemplation of their awful grief after the first passionate outbursts of anguish, the thousands of bereaved ones in St. Mark's parish bowed their heads today in silent mourning. From without came a great wave of sympathy and the ready contributions of a shocked public, but crushed and subdued beyond speech or further emotion, the sad-faced sufferers were unable to appreciate the efforts of others.

Cortelyou Will Probe.

The president has ordered the disaster to be probed thoroughly. Secretary Cortelyou has instructed his inspectors to leave no stone unturned to fix the responsibility. But of all the investigations, federal or local, which are to be made into the General Slocum horror, the first to get under way will be that of Coroner Berry on Monday. There is every indication that this inquisition will uncover every phase of the disaster. Already he is examining witnesses, but the developments today bring to light a badly tangled condition of affairs.

A deck hand said the fire hose of the General Slocum was so badly kinked that when he and Mate Flanagan attempted to extinguish the fire it burst when the water was turned on. Against the statement of this deck hand is the mute testimony of the standpipe, which was raised from the wreck this afternoon and taken to the coroner's office. The valves of the pipe were closed, showing that no water had been turned on.

Again is this condition refuted by the host of witnesses who escaped from the big steamer, that say they saw the hose burst.

Despite the belief expressed by Diver Rice that the paddle boxes and the hulk of the Slocum was filled with a mass of bodies, when it was explored today no bodies were found. Inspector of Police Albertson, however, made the sensational statement that he believed there were at least 500 more victims whose bodies have not been recovered.

Thirty-seven in Hospitals.

At the Lincoln hospital today there are still 20 patients from the wreck. At the Lebanon hospital there are 17 and at the Harlem hospital two. All of these, it is said, will recover. However, the results of the disaster will be farther reaching than at first supposed, for this list of patients does not include a number of people who have collapsed or become temporarily insane from the terrible strain they have undergone since the disaster.

Sixty funerals will thread their way through the desolated section tomorrow, and by night nearly 150 victims of the Slocum disaster will rest in newly made graves, mostly in the Lutheran cemetery. Thirty-two bodies that are lying at the morgue and are unrecognizable will be taken there tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. These, too, will go to the Lutheran cemetery, the authorities of which have given a plot that will hold 250 bodies. One big service will be held in the chapel in the cemetery.

From St. Mark's parish the first funerals of the victims were held today. Twenty-five were buried in one cemetery, in many instances several members of the same family being laid at rest in a common grave.

No Graduation Exercises.

From 10 public schools in the vicinity come the record of 83 dead, 66 missing, 30 injured and 68 saved. In these public schools, which include all in two school districts, no graduation exercises will be held, the children receiving their diplomas without ceremony.

Inspector Lundberg, one of the government inspectors who certified to the adequacy and efficiency of the life saving and other equipment of the General Slocum, appeared before the coroner, accompanied by a lawyer, and refused to testify, giving as his reason for this action that his testimony might tend to incriminate him.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

FEDERAL COURT FOR PEABODY

Colorado's Governor Is Ordered to Appear in St. Louis.

MANY OTHERS NAMED

Owner of the Portland Mine Will Pay Expenses of All Miners Bringing Suit.

SIX SUSPECTED OF OUTRAGE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

Denver, Col., June 17.—Papers in the $100,000 damage suit in the Portland Gold Mining Company against Gov. James H. Peabody, Adjt. Gen. Sherman M. Bell, C. C. Hamlin, secretary of the Mine Owners association, and others connected with the body, as well as Sheriff Edward Bell of Teller county and his deputies who assisted in the closing down of the Portland mine, were served on Gov. Peabody today.

Gov. Peabody this afternoon received notice that on June 22 application will be made to United States Circuit Judge Amos Thayer in St. Louis for an injunction to restrain the governor, the military and all other persons from interfering with the operation of the Portland mine.

Those cited to appear before the federal court at St. Louis are Gov. James H. Peabody, Adjt.-Gen. Sherman M. Bell, Sheriff Edward Bell of Teller county and the following officers and members of the Cripple Creek district mine owners' association: C. C. Hamlin, Judge Colburn, Charles Walden, F. J. Campbell, A. E. Carlton, L. E. Hill and A. T. Holman.

Federal Court Called on.

The petition for the injunction has been presented to the federal court by James Burns, owner of the Portland mine, through his attorneys, Thomas, Bryant & Lee and Gunnell & Hamlin.

According to the complaint, the number of persons employed in the mine was over 300, and these were taken into custody by the authorities and certain ones of them picked out and placed in the bullpen to be deported to Kansas and Mexico. The charge is made that the governor gave tacit consent to this measure when he did not countermand any of the orders issued and carried into effect by Gen. Bell.

The jurisdiction of the United States court is asked on the grounds that the complaintant is a citizen of the state of Iowa and that he has been deprived of the enjoyment of his property without due process of law and in violation of the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and fourteenth amendments to the Constitution.

The complaint further alleges that the complainant's property is decreasing in value from lying idle and asks damages against the defendant in the sum of $100,000.

James F. Burns, president of the Portland company, refuses to discuss his plans for publication, but it is reported he has declared to friends his purpose to defray all expenses of suits that may be begun in the federal court against Gov. Peabody and others, by Portland miners, who were deported from Cripple Creek.

Gov. Peabody and Adjt.-Gen. Bell were today served with the writ of habeas corpus issued by Judge Thayer at St. Louis for the production of President Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, in the United States circuit court, on July 5th.

There is a stipulation in the writ which waives the actual appearance of Moyer if it be found inconvenient to produce him, and provides that the arguments in the case may proceed without Moyer being present. As Moyer is now under military authority Attorney E. F. Richardson, who represents the federation, may make a test case of one of the miners in the bull pen at Cripple Creek.

Six Murderers Wanted.

CRIPPLE CREEK, COL., June 17.—Under-Sheriff L. E. Parsons is authority for the statement that there is confined in the county jail one of the perpetrators of the Independence wholesale murder, if not the actual criminal who pulled the wire that exploded the dynamite. The under-sheriff refuses to tell the name of the alleged guilty man, fearing that, if it becomes public, it would precipitate an attempted lynching in which citizens might be killed in trying to storm the jail. Parsons adds:

"We have evidence in our possession showing that six men are directly or indirectly implicated in the killing. Five of these men managed to get out of the district, but we know who practically all of them are, and they will be under arrest before long."

Beaten by Whitecaps.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., June 17.—(Special.)—James Means, charged with being a wife-beater, was visited early this morning by whitecaps, who dragged him from the house, and, after laying him across a barrel, beat him with switches until he was unconscious. The whitecaps then went to the home of another alleged wife-beater and left a bundle of switches at his door, to signify what might happen if he should not reform.

Carnegie Increases Gift.

NEW YORK, June 17.—(Special.)—Richard T. Davies, secretary and treasurer of the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen, No. 20 West Forty-fourth street, has received a message from Andrew Carnegie, that he has increased his gift of $250,000 for the Mechanics and Tradesmen's building, given about a year ago to $300,000.

L. C. Phipps Coming East.

DENVER, June 17.—(Special.)—Lawrence C. Phipps today went to New York. It is reported here that the sudden departure of Mr. Phipps for the east means that he is about to effect a compromise with his wife in the divorce case.

MINISTER IS ASSAULTED AT EAST LIVERPOOL, O.

Vigorous Local Option Campaign Ends Today by Decision at Polls.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., June 17.—The Rev. Dr. M. B. Pratt, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, was assaulted tonight by an unknown man who escaped in the crowd. Dr. Pratt has been the most agressive of the anti-saloon men in the local option fight which is to be settled at the polls tomorrow. He was on the way to the opera house to deliver a temperance address when assaulted. Though severely bruised he delivered his lecture. The saloon men offer a reward of $500 for the arrest of the man who struck him.

Music and oratory closed the campaign. Hundreds of school children marched through the streets this afternoon and this evening men, women and children headed by a band, paraded with mottoes and transparencies in the interests of the anti-saloonists. The liquor league also had a band out and numerous campaigners at work. Dr. Pratt says that victory is certain, while all the liquor men are equally confident that their side will win. While the voting is going on, women will hold continuous prayer meetings in some of the churches tomorrow.

KING FORCED TO RIDE IN A "JIM CROW" CAR

Ruler of South Sea Islands Humiliated While Passing Through Kentucky.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

LEXINGTON, KY., June 17.—The sight of a real king, traveling with his retinue of servants and private secretary, being forced to ride in the "Jim Crow" car of a railroad train, is rather an unusual proceeding, but the occurrence was witnessed in this city this afternoon when the king of the South Sea Islands passed through here bound for Chattanooga.

An attempt was made to interview the king, who was dressed in the garb fitting his station in life, but he felt so deeply the humiliation of being forced to ride in the negro compartment that he refused to talk and ordered his secretary and servants to surround him and hide him from view of the crulous crowd which collected at the depot to see him.

King Roonbooya, as his secretary finally acknowledged him to be, arrived in this country several weeks ago and has been doing the St. Louis fair. He expected to spend several weeks in the south, but his program will now likely be changed owing to the treatment accorded him by the railways of the south.

PRIZE FIGHT IN CHURCH.

Contest So Fierce Before Young Men's Club, Referee Stopped It.

TOLEDO, O., June 17.—(Special.)—The first boxing bout to be pulled off in a Toledo church took place in the basement of St. Paul's Episcopal church last evening.

The participants were Clark Crawford and Edward Gendron, two local boxers of some note, and the affair was given under the direction of the Young Men's club of the church. William Parker acted as referee and declared the fight a draw at the end of the third round, but it was in fact "a fight to a finish," as neither one of the fighters would have been able to have finished the bout. While the authorities of the church had given their consent to an athletic entertainment, they were surprised this afternoon to learn that the fight had been the fiercest ever held in Toledo. Another six-round bout was given aside from two wrestling matches.

CLAIMS SECRET WEDDING AT WASHINGTON, PA.

Young Woman Files Suit for Alimony Against Former University Athlete.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, June 17.—An interesting romance in which a man asserted to be James M. McCleary, formerly a well-known athlete of Western Reserve university, is the principal, came to light in common pleas court today. The climax in the Cleveland young man's love affair is an alimony petition, filed by the girl, who says he married her secretly in Washington, Pa., less than a year ago.

Myrtle McCleary is the name the plaintiff gives. Before her marriage she says she was Miss Myrtle Gutherie. Her home is in Washington, Pa., where she is well known. She is 21 years of age, and for the last two or three months she has been supporting herself by working as a waitress in Cleveland, having come here last April in pursuit of McCleary, she says.

The wedding ceremony, according to the wife's petition, took place in Washington, Pa., November 16, 1903. On November 20 her husband left Washington and came to his home in Cleveland. His wife he left behind, she says. This was the last that the girl saw or heard of him, she declares, until last April, when she determined to come to Cleveland.

Colorado Sheriff Murdered.

PITKIN, COL., June 17.—William E. Hermon, city marshal of Pitkin and deputy sheriff of Gunnison county, has been shot and instantly killed by Tim Sullivan, whom he was called to arrest for threatening his wife. Sullivan escaped but officers are on his track.

THOUGHT DEATH BETTER THAN A GAMBLER'S LIFE

Chicago Attorney Commits Suicide in Florida After a Long Mental Battle.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., June 17.—Charles S. McCoy, a prominent attorney, with offices in the Atwood building, Chicago, committed suicide today by cutting his throat with a razor in a bath tub at a hotel here. It is said that in the last few days he had lost $30,000 by speculating in stocks in Wall street, through a local firm.

Mr. McCoy was in Jacksonville looking after a suit of John L. Daily's against the Seminole Hard Rock Phosphate Company. To Judge Challen, who was associated with him in the case, he left a letter saying:

"During these months the demon of speculation has had me in its grip, and I am powerless to resist it as any drunkard his dram or gambler his game. The course I am taking is considered the wise one. Please do what is needed. Communicate with Mrs. McCoy, 9116 Longwood, Chicago."

On the dresser in the room at the hotel were found several letters, together with the following that he had written:

"Clock just struck 5 a. m. In a few minutes more I'll be ready if I have the courage.

"7:45—I am a coward after all.

"10:05—Still resisting. Oh, God, have mercy; the way of the transgressor is hard, and the wage of sin is death!"

The bed was undisturbed, showing the man had not slept during the night. McCoy was said to be a man of exemplary habits.

WANT AMERICAN RIGHTS.

United States Warships Will Make a Demonstration in Turkish Waters.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The American battleship squadron, commanded by Rear Admiral Barker, has sailed from Lisbon on a visit to the ports of Greece and Austria.

It is reported that after spending a few weeks there Admiral Barker will be reinforced by the European squadron, under Rear Admiral Jewell, and this formidable fleet will pay a visit to Turkish waters, about the time Mr. Leishmann, the American minister, takes up in earnest again the negotiations with the porte to insure for Americans in Turkey the same rights as are enjoyed by citizens of some privileged European nations.

ENGINEER TELLS STORY OF DEATH

Says Slocum Could Not Have Been Beached Elsewhere Than on Island.

HE IS WANTED BY CORONER

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Herald Building, Herald Square. NEW YORK, June 17.

Chief Engineer B. F. Conklin of the General Slocum, who is wanted by Coroner Berry of the Bronx to tell his story of the disaster, is ill from the effects of the terrible experience through which he passed.

"I would like to forget that fearful thing if I could," he said, "I have no theories to advance. I cannot tell you exactly where the fire started. The boat was comfortably filled, though not packed, as we were licensed to carry 2,000, and there were about 1,600 aboard. We proceeded up the bay and about 10:30 o'clock when we were opposite One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, the first mate approached me as I was standing in the engine room talking to my assistant, Everett Brandow.

"His face was deathly pale, but, though he was excited, he was not afraid. He said that a fire had been discovered forward, and I at once ordered him to lay the hose while I went to the pumps, first notifying the captain, who was in the pilot house, by calling him through the speaking tube. I told Brandow to stand near the engine and not to leave it, and he obeyed me.

"In less than a minute water was being poured on the flames, but it did not seem to check them in the least. Two minutes or so later fire broke out behind and some one on deck cried 'fire.'

"Instantly there was a roar as the terrified passengers arose like one person and made a rush for the stern. Never shall I forget the horror of that scene and the terrible cries that followed. There was no checking that frenzied crowd. Most of the crew was busy fighting the fire, and those who were on deck were unable to calm the fears of the women and children. The captain rang the bell to 'full speed ahead,' and the boat shot forward like a race horse.

"A thick volume of smoke rolled from forward and filled the lower part of the boat. I was compelled to cover my mouth and nose with my arm in order to breathe. Mingled with the smell of burning paint wood was the sickening odor of burning flesh. The women and children roamed about as though bereft of their senses. Mothers grasped their children, rushed to the side of the steamer and jumped into the water only to drown. I saw several children, with their clothing on fire and their mothers vainly trying to put out the flames with their hands. I never saw fire spread with such rapidity, and in less time than it has taken for me to tell you this, the whole forward part of the vessel was in flames.

"The boat was newly painted and this, of course, made it burn more rapidly. Those who were on the lower decks rushed aft and many children were knocked down and trampled to death. Try as I can, it is impossible to erase that scene from memory. When I close my eyes at night I can see the struggling crowd, the dead, upturned faces and charred bodies. I can yet hear those agonizing, piercing screams and feel the scorching flames.

"I realized that our only safety was to beach the boat, and I knew that North Brother Island was the only place to do it. We could not turn back and beach on the meadows, for we were above them, and I was fearful that we might strike a rock in Hell Gate and have happened the loss of life would have been great, for no one, not excepting a good swimmer, could have kept afloat in that swift water.

"At intervals the captain called through the speaking tube asking how the fire was progressing and I always kept him informed. I stayed at the pumps, for I did not dare to leave them, fearing that they might break down or stop. When the boat was beached and I left the engine room, they were still working. If the hose was rotten and burst, as has been stated, I know nothing of it, for the pumps worked regularly.

"It has also been said that the life preservers were old and rotten. We carried a full complement of preservers. They were such as are required by law, and if they were not sound and in the condition they should have been, then it is up to the inspectors, for the boat had been inspected only a short time before the fire and everything was pronounced all right.

"Just before the Slocum was beached the engine room was in flames, and the large mirrors in it fell with a crash. I looked for Brandow and he was still standing near the throttle, with the flames all about him. The heat was intense, but I did not seem to feel it much.

"When the boat grounded there was a terrible crash, as the upper decks gave way, and for a moment I felt sick, for I knew that many people were caught beneath it. Brandow stopped his engines and we made our way with difficulty aft. Here there were a number of women and children who beseeched us piteously to save them. I did my best to calm them and tried to tell them they must jump overboard. Just then a tug came up alongside and a rush was made for it.

"I was carried over with the rest and fell underneath the struggling mass. I arose, and soon I reached the shore. I saw Capt. Van Schaick and Pilot Van Wort standing in the water taking out bodies which were floating all around us. I assisted in the work as long as I could. Brandow was badly burned about the head and neck, but he escaped. He and I were the last of the crew to leave the boat." ALEXANDER DODDS.

GRAVE DIGGERS WORK AT NIGHT

So Many Funerals of Slocum Victims, Some Must Be Held in Darkness.

NO IDLE, CURIOUS CROWDS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Herald Building, Herald Square. NEW YORK, June 17.

Throughout the afternoon, in different sections of the city and in Brooklyn funerals of the victims of the Slocum disaster were held in rapid succession. One of the saddest features of the necessary haste in burying the hundreds of dead, is the fact that dozens of families will have to conduct their funerals at night and have the bodies interred under the glare of electric lights.

The scarcity of clergymen and the conditions of many of the bodies necessitate a schedule of funerals which will extend through almost every hour of the day and night. The first night funeral was held at 8 o'clock this evening in the home of George Henken of No. 168 Second street, who buried his two little girls in the Middle Village cemetery toward midnight. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Hugo Hoffman.

Sexton Hillson of St. Mark's church, who was ordered to dig 100 graves today, has arranged for the erection of electric light poles in the cemetery. As there will be nearly 100 more funerals from St. Mark's parish tomorrow he and his assistants will be compelled to work far into the night digging graves.

First Funeral That of a Girl.

The first of the hundreds of funeral corteges which will pass through the East Side to the Twenty-third street ferry and thence to the Lutheran cemetery at Middle Village, Long Island, in the next few days left the home of James Bell at No. 242 Fifth street at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, carrying the body of 15-year-old Agnes Bell. A great crowd followed the hearse and three carriages to the ferry, and of these hundreds there were few whose faces were not streaked with tears.

The funeral services were brief and simple, conducted by the Rev. E. Kraeling, one of the great number of Lutheran pastors who have volunteered their services in behalf of the bereaved families.

When the young girl's body was carried out to the hearse in its white casket the entire street was blocked with people, and the 10 policemen detailed to accompany the funeral procession to the ferry were compelled to summon reinforcements.

All the unidentified dead will be buried at one time and under one funeral service. The Lutheran cemetery at Middle Village has been selected as their burying ground.

Word was sent to the superintendent of the cemetery to prepare 50 graves for immediate use. President Darlington of the board of health has offered to pay for the burial of all the unidentified dead.

None of the Morbidly Curious.

There were none of the idly curious at the funerals today and the 10 policemen stationed to guard each funeral cortege by inspector Schmittherger, had not to lift a finger of warning to child or elder. In every window that looked out upon these hearses, to one of which three little, white caskets were borne, the shades were drawn, even though no dead were within the homes.

In fact, in every street where mourning emblems suspended from the doorways no curious faces could be seen in the windows and no groups of young or old were gathered in the doorways. Perhaps the most impressive feature of the great calm of grief that hung about the lugubrious scene was the entire absence of children on the streets. Usually thoroughfares and even alleys and courtyards in this district swarm with children at play, so that the absolute ceasing of the hum of their cries and laughter is more impressive than would be the intrusion of singular clamor.

The policemen who have been stationed in the parish show the same universal deference often doffing their helmets as some pathetic figure of bereaved old or young pass them and go silently into their homes to continue their vigil by the dead.

On all the business houses and schools in the vicinity of St. Mark's church flags hang at half-mast and many of the little shops show the Memorial insignia of mourning as melancholy tokens of sympathy for their patrons.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

SIXTY-FIVE MORE BODIES ARE NOW IDENTIFIED

Number of Unknown Victims of Gen. Slocum Disaster Being Slowly Cut Down.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, June 17.—The following additional bodies of victims of the Slocum disaster were identified at the morgue today:

Behrns, Alice; Boosewell, Meta; Donerheim, Annie; De Long, Frank; Dittrich, Adelaide; Dittrich, Alfred; Foelsing, Amelia; Gatewood, Morris; Gerst, Freda; Goetz, Leone; Growald, Elsie; Haag, Emma; Harfner, Mary T.; Hartung, Frances; Hauff, Tillie; Havemeyer, Emma S.; Havemeyer, Ernest P. W.; Helg, Barbara; Hoffman, Mary; Joseph, Frank; Kunz, Gussie; Lebnow, Anna Christina; Lang, George; Ludwig, Lillie; Manheim, Lilie; Maurer, Tillie; Mayer, Frances; Mercales, Matilda; Michaels, Carrie; Marshall, Daniel; Meyers, Elizabeth; Mercal, Katie; Meinhardt, Walberger; Moller, Henry; Muller, Irene; Oelbrick, Helen; Port, Henry; Richter, Catherine; Richter, Lillie; Ramenalkamp, Stella; Stolz, Bessie; Saltman, Margaret; Shatz, Emanuel; Schmedling, Annie; Seyfert, Henry; Smith, Christian; Schnittenger, Freida; Schnitzler, Christina W.; Cehneitzler, Catherine; Schaud, Annie; Schaud, Grace; Schumacher, Catherine Louise; Schultz, Joseph; Smith, Fannie; Schmidt, Katie; Sprechter, Elsie; Stahl, Fritz; Strickrodt, Elsie; Timm, George; Timm, Hedwig; Vetter, Fredeiea; Weingrate, Ethel; Wenz, George; Will, Gussie; Zaneche, Albert.

NON-UNIONISTS FATALLY SHOT BY UNIONISTS

CLEVELAND, O., June 17.—In a fight between union and non-union structural iron workers on the Superior street viaduct, Edward Lamb of Dayton and David Jeanings of this city received several bullet wounds and will probably die as a result of their injuries. A crowd of 20 union men attacked half dozen non-unionists employed on the Rockefeller building, under cover of darkness. Jeanings the latter were Jennings and Lamb. A number of other men were badly beaten. The police have made several arrests in connection with the case.

Selected Their New Pastor.

After waiting six months to choose a minister, a congregational meeting of the Avalon United Presbyterian church selected the latest candidate, the Rev. James F. Kay of Beaver Falls, Pa., who preached to them last Sunday. The Rev. D. F. McGill, moderator of the Allegheny presbytery, presided and appointed as tellers James H. Irons, D. T. McKeag and J. H. Watt. Mr. Kay was selected upon the fourth ballot after a close contest.

Bellevue Flower Show Today.

The second annual flower show will be held in Bellevue today from 2 to 10 p. m. The exhibition takes place in Masonic hall and is under the auspices of the Bellevue Civic Improvement league, an organization created for the purpose of beautifying the borough. In addition to local exhibitors, many Pittsburghers, including H. C. Frick and Frederick Burki, will exhibit flowers and potted plants.

"Tech" Director Visits Potteries.

Director Arthur A. Hamerschlag and William F. Field, secretary of the Carnegie technical schools, spent yesterday at East Liverpool, O., visiting the pottery plants there. The trip was one of a series which the director is making to various manufacturing industries to discern in just what form the new "Tech" can accomplish the most good in every department of its instruction.

COLDS LEAD TO PNEUMONIA.
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. To get the genuine call for the full name and look for the signature of E. W. Grove. 25c.

MAYOR McCLELLAN APPEALS FOR FUNDS

NEW YORK, June 17.—Mayor McClellan this afternoon issued the following appeal for funds:

Office of the Mayor.
City of New York, June 17, 1904.

An appeal is hereby made to the citizens of this city to render any aid in their power to the victims of the Gen. Slocum disaster. The active interest so far manifested encourages the committee to hope that there will be a generous response to the necessities caused by this calamity. Checks should be drawn to the order of Jacob R. Schiff, treasurer, and sent to him at No. 52 William street.

GEORGE B. M'CLELLAN, Mayor.

LAUGHING BLUE-EYED BABY IS CARRIED ASHORE BY TIDE

Strange Providence Watches Over Child Who Lost Mother in Disaster to General Slocum and Is Now With His Grandmother.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, June 17.—A laughing, blue-eyed baby boy, dressed in white and with blue ribbons, washed ashore at North Brother Island by the tide, was recognized at the Lebanon hospital today by his grandmother, Mrs. Augusta DeBit.

Lost from his mother on board the Slocum, abandoned to the mercy of the waves, a strange providence watched over this 10-months-old boy and carried him ashore.

The big policeman who stooped over to pick up what he thought was a dead baby, was almost stricken dumb when he heard it coo.

"Well, well," the policeman said, as he carried the child to Superintendent Daub of the Lebanon hospital. "Here's the most miraculous escape of all."

"Goo, goo," lisped the baby.

The story of the baby became almost immediately known throughout the hospital, and a crowd gathered around the little bed. The baby did not cry once. When a bottle was given to him he drank the milk and dropped off to sleep, after smiling at the nurses and doctors bending over him.

The baby is Charles DeBit, son of Mrs. Mary DeBit, who is still among the missing. His grandmother, a very pretty lady, had almost given up hope of finding her daughter or grandson when she entered Lebanon hospital today. She almost flew to the child's bedside and kissed him again and again.

"We have kept one of the blue ribbons for a souvenir," said the superintendent, his eyes growing dim.

KUROKI ENGAGES STAKELBERG: CZAR'S SQUADRON IS SIGHTED

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from Ping-Yang are bound here. Two hundred additional Russians have arrived at Kowan from whence the Korean magistrate fled, taking refuge here.

LONDON, June 18.—The correspondent of the Daily Chronicle at Kinkow, in a dispatch dated June 17, says that Gen. Kuropatkin left Liao-Yang Wednesday last to assume command of the army operating toward Port Arthur.

TOKYO, June 17.—(11 a. m.)—Many rumors are extant of an action at sea, but they are not confirmed. The Russian ships were first sighted off Okino island at 8:30 a. m., June 15, by a patrol boat which reported the fact to Vice Admiral Kamimura at an unknown base, who left in pursuit with his whole squadron.

At 9:30 a. m., on the same date, Vice Admiral Kamimura with his squadron is still chasing the enemy. The fate of the transport Izumi is still unknown. There were no foreigners on board the destroyed transports except their officers.

A survivor reports to Vice Admiral Taunado that the Hitachi was hit 60 times and caught fire. A boat from the Sado was sent to the Russians for the purpose of a parley. The Russians agreed to give the Sado 40 minutes to clear ship and said they would take the non-combatants aboard. The Russians later, it is declared, refused to receive the non-combatants except an Englishman, the chief mate, and before the 40 minutes had expired the Russians, it is further said, torpedoed the ship on both sides.

Col. Luchi, commanding the troops on the Hitachi, and many others committed suicide. Luchi was educated in France. The majority of the passengers of the Sado were rescued. The greater number of those who were on board the Hitachi were annihilated.

Hitach Tried to Escape.

The steamer Ise has arrived at Kokura carrying more of the crew and troops from the transport Sado. The Sado is safe and is being towed into port by the Higo.

Survivors say that the Russian ships were sighted at 7 o'clock in the morning and, in response to a signal, the Hitachi was stopped, but at 10 o'clock got under way again and attempted to escape. The Russians followed and opened a heavy fire directed about the water line, with the evident intention of destroying the troops en board.

The fire was terrific and in a few minutes the decks were covered with corpses and blood. One shell, which struck the engine room, killed 200 men. The ship began to fill and sunk gradually by the stern. At 6 o'clock in the evening she was completely submerged.

Capt. Campbell, the English master of the transport, jumped overboard at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and is numbered among the missing. The chief engineer was killed on the bridge. The commander of the troops ordered the flag to be burned and then killed himself. The second mate committed suicide. Many of the crew and troops escaped in the boats.

Sado More Fortunate.

The transport Sado, which is being towed into port, sighted the Russian ships 85 miles west of Shiro island. Their signals to stop were unheeded so the Russians opened fire and signaled for those on board the Sado to leave the ship. Upon that the crew took to the boats and in this way many escaped when the ship was eventually fired by the enemy. The number of men on board the two transports and the list of casualties are not yet obtainable.

SHANGHAI, June 17.—As a result of sinking of the Japanese transports by the Russian Vladivostok squadron, the sailings of Japanese steamships for Shanghai have been postponed indefinitely.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—Military circles here do not view the battle of Vafangow as a defeat and they contend that Gen. Baron Stakelberg, unlike Lieut.-Gen. Zassalitch, has more than he lost.

Whether or not Gen. Stakelberg's expedition to the south had an immediate bearing on the situation at Port Arthur, it is considered here as unquestionable that his presence has caused a diversion which will materially affect the Japanese operations in the southern part of the Liao-Tung peninsula.

Stakelberg's Army Resting.

Gen. Stakelberg telegraphs from Vantsialin that his army is resting there. His casualties have not yet been definitely ascertained.

Gen. Nodzu's army is resting at Vafangow and is not expected to advance for a couple of days. The advance of Gen. Kuroki's forces beyond Siuyen to cut off Stakelberg's troops, is not causing apprehension.

The present situation is not clear, although it is believed that Gen. Stakelberg will continue to retire to the northward. It is possible, however, that reinforcements are being sent to his support. This might be inferred from a significant message, that was received at Tashicao reporting an enormous movement of troops, including cavalry and infantry, along the railroad; but the correspondent was not allowed to say in which direction the troops were marching.

LIAO-YANG, June 17.—A correspondent, who was present at the battle of Vafangow, describes the fighting as follows:

Borodino Re-Enacted.

"The stern, dogged fighting at the battle of Vafangow was like another Borodino. The roar of the machine guns and the boom of the cannon still ring in one's ears. Throughout the three days of combat the officers and men vied with each other in pluck and heroism. They have added a glorious page to Russia's military history.

"The enemy's advance originally included the Fifth, Eighth and Eleventh divisions, 12 squadrons of cavalry and splendid artillery. About 200 guns were belching a continuous stream of shot and shell. Large reinforcements enabled them to turn the Russian flanks.

"A division on the right precipitated the battle in the morning of June 15. Maj.-Gen. Gerngross, who was wounded, commanded the left flank, and Gen. Loutchkovsky commanded the center, including four battalions concealed in a small wood, whence they dealt death and destruction on the enemy. Through glasses I could see the sandy valley of the Tassa with the Chinese village of Fanfan.

"The heights of Foochau, the railroad bridge and the surrounding copse, were occupied by Japanese infantry. Then black lines of infantry, like threads, could be seen creeping through the verdure.

Nearer, the slope of a hill was dotted by the grey shirts of Russian riflemen. A brownish smoke overhung some of the batteries and others showed flashes of flame. The crackle of rifle fire was punctuated by the roar of guns, occasionally I heard the hiss of a Japanese bullet.

"The scene was awe-inspiring. Over the Russian left center hovered heavy, coppered chocolate clouds from bursting shrapnel. It was evident that the tide of battle was coming toward the Russian right. I saw reserves hurrying forward, the Cossacks galloping followed by columns of infantry at the double. Suddenly they disappeared in an ardent defile.

"The valley where the Russians had camped was emptied as if by magic. Rattling volleys were fired behind the screen of hills which concealed fighting troops from view in that direction, the sound of which told of the desperate nature of the deadly struggle proceeding there. This continued for half an hour.

"Suddenly a company of Cossacks appeared on the crest of a hill and began to descend. They were followed by infantry. The Japanese gunners promptly pursued them with shrapnel. Horses and men began falling.

"A moment of harrowing suspense was relieved by a thunderous shout of hurrah. It was from a couple of thousand Russian troops just brought up by train. They quickly jumped from the cars, fixed bayonets and literally ran into the fight.

"Again a column of smoke hid the under cover during which the retiring Russian regiments formed up and moved off in complete order toward the railroad. While a long line of commisariat wagons escorted by Cossacks took to the road a battery of horse artillery stationed near the railroad banged away, unlimbered and covered the retreat. The Japanese shells were then falling on the station buildings from which train after train had moved.

Caught the Last Car.

"I descended the hill and just succeeded in jumping on the footboard of the last car. Some of the Russian batteries on the left flank were still firing. The main force began slowly to retreat towards Vantsialin, 30 miles north of Vafangow, and about one in the afternoon had accomplished its strategic mission. The battle of Vanfangow had deflected considerable Japanese forces from Port Arthur.

"The fighting was glorious. For two days the Russian regiments valorously maintained their positions and took the offensive on the left, so pressing the enemy there that a couple of Japanese batteries fell into Cossacks' hands. The Russian soldiers went into battle singing, their spirits not affected by the fierce heat and furious cannonading, whose intensity may be gauged from the influence it had on the atmospheric conditions. Rain drops fell like tears at the height of the battle, although the day dawned clear.

"Many Russians have fallen, but a greater number of Japanese were killed. The Russian shells and bullets mowed them down like wheat. The whole valley was bestrewn with their corpses and the river Tassa ran red. But it was with Japanese more than with Russian blood.

"I left on the last train with Gen. Stakelberg. This train collided with the one preceding it, near Vantsialin, but it was not damaged.

"When passing Kai Chou we saw three Japanese cruisers. The whole road north was occupied with Russian troops. The Russians say the Japanese cannot advance much further north, even when they recover from the effects of the battle of Vafangow."

AMERICAN ATTACHES SAW VAFANGOW FIGHT

Russian Wounded Praise Coolness of Uncle Sam's Soldiers in Thick of Battle.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LIAO-YANG, June 17.—The wounded in the first two days' fighting at Vafangow are arriving here.

A lieutenant of Cossacks says that the American military attaches were with his command most of June 15, during the hottest part of the fight. He commented upon their coolness and their professional interest in the operations to the exclusion of the idea of personal danger.

"The Russian artillery," the lieutenant says, "was splendidly served, but was outmatched in number by the Japanese guns. One Russian battery pitted against six Japanese batteries was literally smothered by Japanese shells.

"I saw one Russian battery land three shells in the midst of an ammunition train which was galloping up to serve the Japanese guns. Two caissons exploded, killing all horses and drivers.

"The Japanese guns fired at least 1,500 rounds. The Russians fired several times on Japanese infantry in close formation, causing tremendous havoc."

An officer of the Fourth battery says that his battery was in a duel at two and a half miles with a Japanese battery and silenced it. His battery then ran out of ammunition and the men carried the breech mechanism of the guns with them to the rear and brought up a fresh supply of ammunition and resumed serving the guns.

Several of the Russian dead, who were found in the bushes were horribly mutilated. The foreign attaches drew up a formal memorandum of this.

WRECKERS RAISING VESSELS IN HARBOR OF CHEMULPO

SEOUL, KOREA, June 17.—The Japanese government has commenced the wrecking of the steamer Rungari, which was destroyed at Chemulpo by the Russians at the beginning of hostilities. The Mitsu Bishi Company has secured the contract for the work. An American named Koen is in charge of the operations. It is expected that the work of wrecking the Russian cruiser Variag, which has been proceeding slowly, will be turned over to this company. Nothing but the brass work of the gunboat Korietz, third vessel destroyed by the Russians at Chemulpo, can be saved.

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tion of Mr. Cortelyou, I believe it possible that those members of the present national committee who are re-elected will vote to carry out Mr. Roosevelt's wishes. As I understand it there is not at present any other candidate in the field."

This statement may be construed as an olive branch upon the part of the committee. It has no disposition to embarrass the president in this matter. It is merely standing upon what it considers its just prerogatives in asking for a voice and representation in the party management. As one of the members said today:

"With Mr. Cortelyou as national chairman, President Roosevelt would be in absolute control of the party machinery of every state for the next four years, and be in position to have a potential voice in the selection of his successor. He would also have the absolute say in the settlement of party disputes in the various states and the power to fill vacancies. The death of Senator Quay created a vacancy in the national committee from Pennsylvania. Chairman Payne appointed Senator Penrose, the leader of the state organization in Pennsylvania, to fill the vacancy. Mr. Payne is a practical politician and in making this appointment he consulted the wishes of the organization of Pennsylvania. It was not obligatory upon him to do so. He might have appointed John Wanamaker or some other man not on friendly terms with the organization and thereby have produced all sorts of trouble.

"We do not know whether Mr. Cortelyou, had he been national chairman, would have followed the policy of Mr. Payne or not, but much depends upon having a chairman who will at all times carry out the wishes of the Republican organization in the various states. This is only one of the many important reasons which actuates the national committee in its demand for a 'party' man at the head of the national committee."

Shiras Favors Cortelyou.

Congressman George Shiras 3d., was here today. Mr. Shiras thinks that Mr. Cortelyou would be a splendid national chairman. He says that he would appeal to the business men of the country, and that with the business men at his back and the hearty co-operation of the national committeemen, Mr. Roosevelt would be swept into a re-election with a San Juan hill movement. The real danger, Mr. Shiras said, is from the apathy of the business interests of the country. He thinks they ought to be stimulated and awakened to the necessity of vigorous effort in behalf of Mr. Roosevelt.

Col. W. F. Stone, sergeant-at-arms of the convention, upon the recommendation of Senator Penrose, today appointed the following sergeants-at-arms: Charles B. Quigley, Col. William Lynn and J. G. Rogers, of Philadelphia; J. A. Webster and F. R. Nichols, of Crawford county, Pa.; W. S. Ballard and G. C. Schrink of Schuylkill county; George Kuder of Altoona. Peter Carrigan of Philadelphia, was appointed assistant doorkeeper.

The fight between Gov. Yates and Senator Cullom for the chairmanship of the Illinois delegation, will probably be won by the former. It is said that Yates has a majority of the delegates pledged to him. The governor wants to succeed Cullom as senator and he proposes to get first blood in the present skirmish. Those well informed assert that there is no doubt but what he will defeat Cullom.

The finishing touches have been made at the Coliseum. The decorations are very beautiful and artistically arranged. The most striking object which will attract notice from the delegates upon their entrance is a mammoth oil painting of the late Senator Hanna, 20x15 feet in dimensions, which has been hung above the center of the stage. The likeness is a very fine one, and this very pleasing tribute to the senator's memory will be heartily appreciated by his many friends.

Speaking of decorations, in nearly every window of the business houses which are demonstrating politically, are to be seen lithographs of President Roosevelt and ex-President Grover Cleveland. In Chicago at least, the opinion appears to prevail that Cleveland will be named by the St. Louis convention to lead the Democratic ticket.

Philip Flinn of Pittsburgh, is in the vanguard of the Allegheny visitors. He has, so I am told, secured boxes for each delegate who may desire to attend the Derby tomorrow. The great race, at this time, is a theme of more exciting importance than the approaching convention and it is probably a wise precaution that the delegates who will be here have in their possession return tickets.

The headquarters of the Pennsylvania delegation will be in the music room of the Auditorium hotel. This has been appropriately decorated. A large oil portrait of the late Senator Quay, heavily draped, will be flanked by those of Senators Penrose and Knox and Gov. Pennypacker. David H. Lane of Philadelphia, will be elected member of the committee on credentials of the convention. Allegheny county will have a member of the resolutions committee.

Ohio Contests Settled.

W. C. Russell and O. E. Harrison, delegates from the Fourth Ohio district where there was a contest, were seated by the national committee. There was a contest in the Sixth Ohio district, but the necessary papers setting such notice were not filed and the committee ruled the matter out.

In the Twentieth Ohio district, J. B. Zerbe, the regular delegate, was contested by F. H. Eggers on a question of jurisdiction between the chairman of the convention and the convention itself. The committee held that the election and the committee held that the election of Mr. Zerbe was regular, that the convention was sovereign and accordingly dismissed the appeal of Mr. Eggers. The seat of Mr. Zerbe, the regular delegate, was contested.

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The committee then affirmed the report of the sub-committee on the selection of temporary officers for the convention. These will be Charles W. Johnson of Minneapolis, secretary; John P. Molloy of Ohio, first assistant secretary; Elihu Root, temporary chairman; William E. Stone, sergeant-at-arms; David C. Owen, Milwaukee, first assistant sergeant-at-arms.

A resolution was passed to the effect that the members of the Republican National committee from all the states and territories and the District of Columbia, are instructed to call a meeting of their respective delegations for a time not later than the evening of Monday, June 20, for the selection of members of the various convention committees.

President's Wishes Will Prevail.

Senator Scott of West Virginia tonight issued the following statement, which has added significance in view of the fact that Senator Scott has been quoted as being a candidate for chairman of the national committee:

"I think that the precedent of the party should be and will be followed in the selection of a chairman, and that the wishes of the candidate for president will be followed. I am not informed as to what the president's wishes are, but we must go into the campaign united behind the chairman, whoever he is."

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Representative R. R. Hitt of Illinois is confined to his house suffering from the effect of an attack of acute indigestion several days ago. Indirectly the trouble is the outcome of a severe cold which Mr. Hitt contracted while in Illinois about a month ago, and from which he has never fully recovered. His physicians have advised him to remain quietly in the house for a period, which is very distasteful to him, as obedience to the advice would prevent him attending the Republican convention at Chicago next week, as he had planned.

IS AT DEATH'S DOOR

THE HON. GEORGE R. NASH, Former Governor of Ohio, Who Is Dying at His Home in Columbus.

PHILADELPHIA LEADERS TO ATTEND CONVENTION

Big Crowd Will Leave for the Windy City by Special Trains Today.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—Pennsylvania's delegation to the Republican national convention will depart for Chicago at 4:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The William R. Leeds association delegation will leave at noon. Those who will make up that delegation were tendered a banquet at the Leeds club, on North Broad street, tonight.

Insurance Commissioner Durham, James P. McNichol, Mayor Weaver, State Senator George A. Vare, District Attorney John C. Bell, Register of Wills Joseph H. Klemmer, Sheriff James L. Miles, Congressman Henry H. Bingham, A. S. L. Shields, Select Councilman E. W. Patton and City Commissioner Jacob Wildemore will occupy a special car attached to the train that has been chartered by the Leeds association. David H. Lane will not go to Chicago until Sunday.

A number of the Philadelphia delegation will go to St. Louis from Chicago. Mr. Durham will soon return direct to Philadelphia. He is planning to spend the summer months in the Adirondacks.

The national league of Republican clubs and the state league of Pennsylvania will be largely represented at the Chicago convention. President Moore of the national league, and J. Martin Rommel, national league committeeman from Pennsylvania, will accompany the state delegation on the 4:30 train. John R. Higgins, president, and John Kelley, secretary of the state league of Pennsylvania, together with other officers of that organization will accompany the Leeds association.

The national league headquarters will be at the Auditorium hotel. A meeting of the executive committee, which will be attended by representatives from all the states and territories, has been called for Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. President Moore and the officers of the national league will hold a reception to delegates of the national convention at the Lexington Monday evening.

At the executive meeting, reports will be heard from the various sections of the country and the date for the national convention, which is to take place in Indianapolis, early in October, will be definitely settled. A member of President Roosevelt's cabinet and Senator Fairbanks, who has been suggested as vice president, will be among the speakers. The national league membership is now reported to be upward of 1,000,000.

CAUGHT FIRE FIVE TIMES.

Firemen Troubled by Blazes in Keystone Picture Store, Wylie Avenue.

The firemen in the downtown district have been summoned five times this week to put out fires which started in the Keystone Picture Company's store in Wylie avenue. Last night they were sent to the store twice to extinguish small fires. The fires did not gain much headway. Each time they were put out with little or no loss.

Monday an alarm was sent in for a fire in the store. Tuesday there was another outbreak. Wednesday another fire was seen in the store and last night the firemen were sent there twice.

Chief Miles S. Humphreys today will make an examination of the store. The firemen are of the opinion the workmen are careless in the manner in which they leave the oils and paints in the work shops. These materials are combustible and should be carefully put away after working hours.

COLORED CITIZENS MEET.

Elect New Officers and Adopt Resolutions on Various Subjects.

A convention of the Colored Citizens party was held yesterday in Commercial hall, Fulton street. The meeting was called to order by the president, H. A. Clay. Charles A. Howard was elected temporary chairman and Clarence Harris temporary secretary. A committee on credentials reported that 165 delegates were entitled to seats.

Alexander Saunders of Duquesne was elected president of the organization, Jacob Freeman of the Fourteenth ward vice president, and D. M. Washington of the Thirteenth ward secretary. A platform presented by J. M. Foster was adopted. It denounced lynching, congratulated President Roosevelt on his administration, deplored the tendency of political parties to ignore the negro, called on all congressional and legislative candidates to support the Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendments and declared that the negro, as a negro, owed no allegiance to any political party.

SUSPECT IS IDENTIFIED.

Man Who Attempted to Pass a Worthless Check Is George W. Thompson.

George W. Thompson, alias George W. Taylor, who was arrested Wednesday for attempting to pass a worthless check in a downtown bank, was identified yesterday as a former employe at the Hotel Lincoln by P. J. Probst, manager of the hotel.

Thompson obtained employment at the hotel five weeks ago as cashier in the rotunda dining room. He had several letters of recommendation which have since turned out to have been forged. Thompson is accused of taking $50 of the receipts from the restaurant. He was in charge of the hotel office two weeks ago while there was $50,000 worth of diamonds in the safe.

Miss Miller Re-Elected Principal.

The school board of the Birmingham sub-district, Twenty-eighth ward, met last night and unanimously re-elected Miss Margaret M. Miller principal and the full corps of teachers. Albert Dowe was elected janitor in place of John I. Verner, resigned.

Mrs. A. B. Kuehn Is Dead.

Mrs. Emma Kuehn, aged 24, wife of A. B. Kuehn, died at 8:30 o'clock last night at the Passavant hospital. Her remains will be taken to New York for interment.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, June 17.

NEW YORK—Servia, from Havre; Pannonia, from Trieste.
HAMBURG—Pretoria, from New York.
BREMEN—Prinzess Alice, from New York.
ROTTERDAM—Statendam, from New York.
QUEENSTOWN—Republic, from New York.

Sailed, June 17.

MOVILLE—Parmesia, from New York.
QUEENSTOWN—Cretic, from Boston.

Passed, June 17.

KINSALE—Devonian, from Boston for Liverpool.

SULTAN GRANTS NEW DEMANDS

Moorish Bandit's Increased Ransom Is Agreed to by Ruler.

IN THE POWER OF OUTLAWS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 16, Postal Building. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.

The state department has been advised that the sultan of Morocco has decided to grant all of Raisuli's increased demands in order to secure the release of Perdicaris.

A mail report from Rear Admiral Chadwick dated Tangier, Morocco, May 31, says that the wife of the secretary of the Italian legation at Tangier is a daughter of Mrs. Perdicaris and that he was an object of Raisuli's raid, the bandit desiring to implicate the Italian government also. This is significant, taken in connection with the recently reported attempt to kidnap the Italian consul at Tangier. Admiral Chadwick's report sheds considerable light on the situation, one fact being that Raisuli's adherents do not exceed 100 men bearing arms and that they occupy a region some 50 or 60 miles southeast of Tangier, having long been disaffected and in a state of insurgency against the sultan.

Admiral Chadwick says that there are a considerable number of Moors in Tangier who assist Raisuli. The prisoners, Mr. Perdicaris and his British stepson, Cromwell Varley, are, Admiral Chadwick says, held in the mountains 40 miles south of Tetuan. Admiral Chadwick says in conclusion:

"There is but one outcome which can be inserted upon, which is the yielding by the sultan to Raisuli's demands. Apart from the fact that the former knows he is powerless to accomplish anything against Raisuli's people in the mountain region of the latter, such an attempt would be a signal for the immediate death of the two captive men. This is well understood and no such attempt will be made."

Consul Gummere at Tangier cabled the state department today that the arrival in Tangier of several hundred Moorish troops from Casa Blanca has complicated the situation because the garrison at Tangier had just been withdrawn in accordance with one of Raisuli's demands.

LONDON, June 18.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Tangier says:

"The ruffianly Moorish troops are still here, despite the strong protests lodged with the authorities by Great Britain and the United States. It is stated that the Americans are prepared to occupy the town and land a thousand men. Now the sultan withdraws these soldiers. Should Mr. Perdicaris be killed the United States will cast the Morocco question into the melting pot."

SWALLOWED CARBOLIC ACID IN MISTAKE FOR MEDICINE

In mistake for medicine, Mrs. Annie Black, aged 65, took carbolic acid early yesterday morning and died in a few minutes. Mrs. Black lived with her son-in-law, John R. Thompson, at 1,007 Arch street, Allegheny. For some months she had been ill, and, getting up shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday, swallowed the contents of a vial of acid. She never regained consciousness.

Pittsburgh Man Dies.

UNIONTOWN, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—Howard M. Leonard of Pittsburgh, aged 40, died in Uniontown this morning. He was born in Redstone township, Fayette county, and was a son of Edmund and Sarah Leonard. He had lived for eight years in Pittsburgh. Mr. Leonard is survived by two sons, Clark and LaMott, and by the following brothers and sisters: William, Thomas and Hickman, Pittsburgh; McClelland Leonard, Mrs. J. D. Hutchinson and Miss Elizabeth Leonard of Uniontown. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 4 o'clock.

Junior Endeavorers

WILL NOT NEED SO MANY CLERKS

Typewriting Machines Are to Be Installed in the County Recorder's Office.

WHY MAYOR HAYS LEFT HOME

The introduction of typewriting machines in the office of the county recorder will mean the reduction of the force of transcribing clerks. There are now about 70 men and women employed, and within a year their number will be reduced to 35 or 40. In addition to reducing the number of employes, it is believd that the saving in storage space will be very considerable. The question of finding room for the mortgage and deed records has caused the recorder and county commissioners not a little concern. For some time the commissioners have contemplated the erection of a record house on the site of the old university building. If the typewriting scheme works out so well as anticipated, it may not be necessary to erect the building.

At a conference yesterday Recorder O'Neil and the commissioners decided to install a typewriting machine in the recorder's office and give it a fair trial. In 1903 it required 120 volumes to hold the mortgage and deed records.

Will Be a Big Saving.

These books average 675 pages to a volume, so in 1903, 81,000 pages were filled with handwriting. The cost of these books was $1,050.

With a machine the matter that covers six pages in pen and ink can be placed in two and a half pages. This will cause a great saving in space, to say nothing of the saving in time and books. The makers of the machines say that in a very short time they can teach a person of ordinary intelligence to operate the typewriter.

Mayor Hays, who left the city on the eve of the unveiling of the Hawkins monument, when he was expected to be on hand to receive Gov. Pennypacker, has returned home. This is his explanation of his absence:

"Several weeks ago I agreed with some friends to make a trip east. One or two dropped out, and it was then decided that each of the remaining members of the party would put $15 into a pool. The man who failed to go was to forfeit his money. The time for leaving was last Friday night, and I would not back out.

Gone to Chicago.

The Allegheny county delegates to the Republican national convention and a number of other Republicans, left for Chicago at 7.30 o'clock last evening over the Pennsylvania. They traveled in four Pullman cars. The party is due in Chicago at 8:35 this morning, and will be quartered at the Auditorium hotel. The following men were in the party:

Delegates—Charles E. Kirschler, James H. Willock, John Dalzell, Samuel R. Church, William Flinn, D. L. Gillespie, John A. Bell, George T. Oliver and F. L. Robbins.

Alternates—Robert K. Cochran, George Chalfant, R. W. Cummings, Thomas H. Paton, B. F. Rusch, A. M. Barr, John F. Cox, George P. Murray, O. S. Herschman.

Others who accompanied the delegation are: Robert Ostermaier, M. G. Leslie, Thomas J. Ford, Charles A. Muehlbronner, John W. Crawford, Senator W. A. Magee, F. J. Torrance, George L. Walters, James W. Dickson, P. W. Edwards, John Henderson, R. M. Kopp, R. W. Dunk, A. Edlis, E. G. Schwartwaelder, Henry Godfrey, Samuel Grant, A. A. Dinan, A. G. Shafer, George J. E. Felkenstein, D. A. Wilbert, Charles F. Rosebarth, John Shenkel, Charles H. Kline, E. B. Smith, Joseph G. Armstrong, Dr. E. R. Walters, Thomas A. Warren, Samuel F. Kerr, T. C. Atchison, Jesse M. McGeary, J. L. Alexander, John McKnight, B. F. Steneford, W. H. H. Wasson, Ad. Gumbert, Frank P. Booth, Frank Huff, James F. Burke, Dr. A. J. Barefield, Archibald Darnell, Edward Harran, Thomas C. McClure, John Lewis, Frank J. Klumpp, William Larimer, Gustav Kropp, Thomas Oppenheim, L. B. Cook, John Gillespie, Robert Mathews, Charles Ruhlandt, David Hardy, Dr. D. F. McIntosh, Henry W. Ochse, R. H. Jackson, H. Burg, G. J. Schoendeimeyer, Dr. James Boggs, W. E. Treadway, ex-Mayor Bensley of Monongahela City, Mayor Mooney, Fred Wile, J. D. Callery, R. E. Flinn, John S. Weller, C. H. Sheets, Frank Cyphers and L. W. Bigham.

Lyon Suggests Watson.

Former Lieut. Gov. Walter Lyon has written a letter to Senator Penrose, urging him to use his influence with President Roosevelt to have David T. Watson named as the successor of Attorney General Knox. Mr. Lyon says that while Mr. Watson is rated to be a Democrat, he is not hidebound, and that a better attorney general could not be named.

Col. Guffey returned yesterday from St. Louis. He still declines to say whom he favors for the Democratic nomination for president.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles was in Pittsburgh yesterday. He stopped off here on his return from Waynesburg, where he made a speech Thursday night. He declined to talk politics.

PRETTY EXHIBIT AT INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Pupils of Allegheny First Ward Give Annual Display of Their Year's Work.

The fourth annual exhibit of the First ward (Allegheny) industrial school, was given yesterday afternoon and last night in the school annex in Rebecca street. The interest manifested by parents is demonstrated by the large number present. With the skill of experienced workmen and with a degree of perfection of which any housewife might be proud, the boys and girls of the First ward have accomplished results that are remarkable.

Under the direction of E. D. Hoyt the boys have constructed tables, desks, chairs, bookcases and other articles of furniture with an artistic finish that would do credit to any manufacturer of such goods. Besides this, their work in Venetian irons, scroll work and pyrography, is something that can be seen in few industrial schools in the country.

Perhaps the most interesting department of the school to the majority of those who visit it is the kitchen. Here the girls of the higher grades preside with the modest dignity and dainty importance of young housekeepers. With all the equipment of the most modern kitchen, these young women are taught every branch of culinary science, and the product of their labors was the prettiest exhibit in the school yesterday. The basketry, handloom weaving and sewing in the domestic science department were excellent.

GENEROUS ALLEGHENIANS.

North Side Is Now Assured of an Exuberant Fourth of July.

Allegheny will have a real Fourth of July celebration, as the fund for that purpose has reached $2,868.75.

The amount received yesterday by Director Thomas B. Scandrett was $130.50, as follows: Previously reported, $2,068.25; Workingmen's Savings Bank and Trust Company, $25; B. White, $15; Allegheny Turners' association, $10; Graib & Fairley, $10; R. & W. Jenkinson Company, $10; Munden & Addy, $10; Hildas & Stumpf, $10; Frank Hischek, $10; Lautner Hardware Company, $10; L. Schuman, 5; Luke Manning, $5; Duvall & Sweeney, $5; Ernest L. Neely, $5; P. J. Flood, $5; Mrs. E. L. Deegan, $5; Mrs. S. E. Heppel, $5; Carl J. Siedeneck, $5; William C. Hunt, $5; Harry T. Waughter, $5; Hotel Wolfendale, $5; Peter Connel, $5; L. G. Willey, $5; John E. Willis, $5; C. R. Anderson, $5; Taylor, Wilson & Co., $5; Morrison Bros., $5; L. B. Sauk, $5; R. Fischel, $5; George Helldorfer, $5; Henry Noll, $5; Daum & Helm, $5; H. J. Schmitt, $5; H. J. Murphy, $5; John Furlong, $5; Cash under $5, $35.50. Total, $2,938.75.

The National Lead and Oil Company yesterday sent a $25 contribution to the Pittsburgh Fourth of July fund.

To Improve Arsenal Hospital.

Contracts for painting and completing improvements at the hospital at the Allegheny Arsenal will be let shortly by Capt. P. C. Harris, commandant at the arsenal. The estated cost of the improvements is $1,000. Target practice will be started on Monday on the Fourteenth and Eighteenth regiments ranges.

HAYS MAKES GOOD THREAT TO VETO

Kills Resolution Granting Firemen Two Weeks' Vacation With Pay.

ANOTHER FIGHT IN COUNCILS

Mayor Hays yesterday made good his threat to veto the resolution passed by councils granting the employes of the city fire bureau a vacation of two weeks with pay. The resolution, with the mayor's veto, will be sent to councils at the next meeting. The mayor returned to the city yesterday from New York and Atlantic City after a week's vacation, and his first act was to veto the bill of the firemen.

He gave three reasons for vetoing the measure—that there was no money in the fire bureau appropriation to employ substitutes while the regular men were on their vacations; that the resolution discriminated against the firemen who have been employed less than one year, which includes the majority of the appointees of the present administration, and that the resolution had been passed illegally.

Notwithstanding the mayor's claim that there are not enough funds in the fire appropriation to grant the men a vacation, Director Moore is preparing to transfer some of the funds from that bureau to meet the deficiency in the health bureau. It is true the resolution bars the men who have been in the service less than a year, but the contention of the older firemen is that the new men are not in need of a vacation and that they are not entitled to a vacation until they have had a year's service.

As to the mayor's assertion that the resolution is illegal, the firemen dispute that and will ask councils to pass the resolution over the veto. The mayor claims the resolution is illegal because it was not printed and because it was not referred to a committee. These points were raised in councils by Messrs. Upperman and Wainwright, but the same points were made by others against the resolution appointing the city depositories for four years. In the first case the objections were held to be good. In the latter case they were ruled out.

There promises to be lively times in councils at the next meeting when the mayor's veto is received. A large number of councilmen who are ordinarily supporters of the administration will not support Mayor Hays in this instance, as they have pledged their support to the firemen. A three-fifths vote is required to pass the resolution over the mayor's veto. As the bill passed common council by a unanimous vote it will probably get the required number in that branch, but there is some doubt about select council.

It is stated, however, by the supporters of the measure that if Director Bigelow keeps hands off councils, both branches will pass the bill over the mayor's veto, as the mayor is said to have but very few personal followers in either branch.

COMMITTEE IS READY WITH REPORT ON HUMP

Bigelow's Figures on Expense, It Is Believed, Will Be Declared Short of Cost.

The chamber of commerce committee is practically ready to report to the board of directors the result of its investigation of the hump removal project, Chairman W. H. Stevenson of the committee declined yesterday to discuss the probable nature of the report, but said the committee would likely be ready to lay before the board of directors, at its meeting on Monday, some tangible results.

The two engineers who have been at work for the committee have their task completed. Whether they have verified Director Bigelow's figures or have ascertained them to be incorrect, Mr. Stevenson would not say.

From real estate agents and lawyers, with whom members of the committee have talked, it was pretty definitely learned that the report will declare the director's estimate of $2,000,000 far short of the cost of improvement. None of the public service corporations has signed an agreement to pay the cost of replacing conduits, street car tracks and pipes at the lower level of the improved street. Therefore the city will have to pay the cost, it is declared.

In an interview Director Bigelow said he would not ask scores of property owners for a waiver of damages, as he expected the change of grade would so improve their properties that benefits would be assessed against them, which they would have to pay. While committee it is pointed out that the triennial assessment is nearly three years off and for some time after the removal of the hump there will be no official knowledge of the increase in value caused by the hump removal. Some lawyers say that no benefits can legally be assessed, on that ground that after a street grade has once been established and property owners have built according to the grade, any future changes constitute damages to be paid for by the city. This hypothetical case was put by a lawyer yesterday: Suppose a man has a house in Fifth avenue, built according to the present grade, established in 1848, when the street was cut down about 15 feet. Mr. Bigelow may say that a further cut of 15 feet will give the property another story, thereby improving it, but the fact is it will require remodeling of the building, constituting a damage that the city would have to pay for. Why, the question is asked, should such a property owner, receiving a good interest on his investment, be required to pay the cost of remodeling or re-erecting the building that represents his investment? Why should he be expected to pay out money for a new grade when in putting up his building he built on the grade established by the city?

Slav Made a Hot Drink.

Michael Uhla, a Slav residing near Wilmerding, put a large quantity of concentrated lye in a glass of whisky yesterday and drank it. He is in a serious condition and may not recover. Uhla, according to his wife, had been drinking, and yesterday when he returned home with a quart of whisky stated he was going to make it "good and hot," and after pouring the lye in the liquor drank it.

Civil Service Office Opened.

H. Smith has been placed in charge of the sub-office of the civil service examinations in Pennsylvania. J. J. Vogel, in charge of that department, was here yesterday and made the appointment. Smith was formerly chief clerk in the office of superintendent of mails and later sent to Philadelphia as chief clerk in charge of the Philadelphia division.

Cruel Mother Punished.

Mrs. Kate Manning of Dilworth street, Mt. Washington, who was sued several days ago by the Humane society on a charge of striking her 7-year-old daughter on the head with a poker, was yesterday fined $20 and costs or 90 days to the workhouse by Alderman Oyer. The girl was given in charge of the prosecutor.

PLANS NEW ROAD INTO FRANKLIN

Pennsylvania to Build on West Bank of Allegheny from Parker.

MAKES A SHORTER ROUTE

An extensive improvement of the river division of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley grand division of the Pennsylvania railroad is projected under the name of the Franklin & Parkers Landing Railroad Company. A charter for this company was granted yesterday at Harrisburg. The incorporators are all Pennsylvania railroad officials in important executive positions, so that the ownership of the new proposition is not in doubt.

The new railroad is capitalized at $350,000. It is stated that its object is to build a line 35 miles long from Franklin to a point in Hovey township, Armstrong county. Hovey township lies along the west side of the Allegheny river in the panhandle of Armstrong county. The new road is to be built to the river at Parkers Landing, or rather Parker, the older name having been discarded.

The present line of the Valley road runs along the east bank of the river and is far from being as modern in any respect as the management of the Pennsylvania desires. The river is very crooked and the construction of any railroad there meant unfavorable grades. The new line is on the west bank of the river. Both Parker and Warren are on that side, access to these towns from the railroad stations having been obtained by bridges. The new line puts the railroad into the towns proper, thereby making the service more accessible.

That the road will be a much straighter line than the old one is shown by the fact that the present line from Parker to Franklin is 41 miles long, while the proposed one will be but 35. To save six miles in such a distance shows the need of improvement on the older road.

A scheme of improvement for the Allegheny Valley has been under consideration ever since the Pennsylvania secured control of the various lines that have been made into one grand division. This new line is one of the projects they have had in view for some time past. Other plans will be developed from time to time until the Valley has been made as modern a piece of railroad as befits a part of the Pennsylvania system.

The increase in tonnage along the upper part of the Allegheny river in the past few years has been rapid, largely on account of the coal development in progress there. The new line gives the Pennsylvania a connection on the other side of the river, which enables it to tap a considerable portion of this business.

Just when contracts will be let for the construction of the line is not known. The building of it will involve several bridges and tunnels of some length, it is expected, and the $350,000 of capital stock, which allows but $10,000 a mile, is not likely to suffice for the work.

The following officers are named in the charter: President, Samuel Rea, Philadelphia; directors, John P. Green, William H. Barnes, Charles E. Pugh, M. P. Shortridge, George Wood, William A. Patton, Philadelphia.

STEAM AND ELECTRIC RAILROADS CHARTERED

Two New Trolley Lines Are Proposed in Washington and Westmoreland Counties.

Charters were issued yesterday by the state department at Harrisburg for two street railway companies which propose to build lines in Western Pennsylvania. These companies are:

Carnegie, McDonald & Canonsburg Street Railway Company, to build a line from Noblestown road, in Carnegie, to McDonald and Canonsburg, 18 miles; capital, $110,000; president, W. J. Brennen; directors, W. F. Johnston, J. S. Willard, L. R. Lewis, Edward Grindell, S. M. O. Grant, Pittsburgh.

Westmoreland County Passenger Street Railway Company, to build a 10-mile line from Latrobe to Lloydville, to Beatty, to Culbertson, to Greensburg; capital, $60,000; president, Joseph Keeling, Pittsburgh; directors, Joseph Keeling, Frank W. Jarvis, E. C. Gerwig, Stephen Stone, William A. Stone, Pittsburgh.

Charters were issued also for three steam railroads proposed for this section of the state. These are:

Pittsburgh & Westmoreland Railway Company, to construct a five-mile line from North Huntingdon township, Westmoreland county, to Hermania; capital, $50,000; president, Edward Barrett, Irwin; directors, Joseph Evans, I. D. Warrington, J. E. Beany, W. E. Campbell, J. C. Bily, Pittsburgh.

The Bradneck Valley Railroad Company, to build a line five miles long from Colebrook, Fayette county, to a point near the house of Andrew Robbins, in Bullskin township; capital, $50,000; president, A. G. Cope, Connellsville; directors, B. O'Conner, A. J. Staub, Connellsville; John B. Bolleau, George M. Hosack and John A. Murphy, Pittsburgh.

The Black Lick and Yellow Creek Railroad Company, to build 10 miles from Rexis, Indiana county, to Burns summit; capital, $100,000; president, A. W. Lee, Clearfield; directors, A. W. Lee, H. W. Straw, George H. Gearhart, H. J. Thompson, E. E. Lindemuth, P. T. Davis, Clearfield.

TOLD OF THEIR DOOM.

Reno Dardaia to Hang August 25, and Dusan Melic on July 28.

Gov. Pennypacker yesterday signed the death warrant of Reno Dardaia, fixing August 25 for his execution. The Italian stabbed and killed Thomas Sinclair at Imperial station on December 16, 1903. The men had some words the day previous to the killing. They met the following day on the platform of the railroad station and Dardaia stabbed Sinclair, killing him instantly.

Dusan Melic, who is sentenced to be hanged July 28 for the murder of Policeman Andrew J. Kelly on October 4, 1903, was officially notified of his approaching end yesterday by Sheriff Dickson. Melic is a Slav and the news was conveyed to him through Court Interpreter Mrs. Violet P. Soir.

Melic was calm throughout the proceedings. He told the interpreter he was willing to die.

Alderman Walsh Waives Hearing.

Alderman Walsh of the West End waived a hearing before Alderman Toole yesterday, and gave bail for court on a charge of assault and battery, made by Samuel Ohiger of Sweetbriar street, Mt. Washington. Ohiger claims Walsh assaulted him and beat him severely because he said Walsh was "no gentleman."

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Saturday, June 18, 1904.

The Gazette desires to call the attention of those of its readers who contemplate summer trips to the announcements of the many summer resort hotels published on page 14 of this issue.

It is noted in New York that J. Pierpont Morgan is gradually letting go the reins and withdrawing himself from the many huge enterprises in which he has been a ruling spirit. This is quite a natural thing at Mr. Morgan's time of life, especially after the strenuous campaign he has been through. He can well afford to retire from the extreme of activity and seek his personal enjoyment. As there is no one at hand to fill the exact place of Mr. Morgan the voting trusts which he controlled are being abandoned, the control of the properties reverting more directly to the stockholders. It remains to be seen how this will affect the corporations concerned, though no one apprehends any serious danger to them.

There is nothing in the case of Schiller, at Columbus, to indicate that death in the electric chair is any more humane than execution by hanging. Twice the condemned man survived the heavy current and began to revive, so a third and heavier charge was needed to kill him. The doctors explain that the man had unprecedented vitality, or resistance, to the electric shock, but many readers will recall the fact that the New York authorities had several revolting cases in their earlier experience with the electric chair. It is probable Schiller's neck might have broken as easily as another man's. The drift toward the electric chair was caused by some bungling jobs of hanging, but the change does not appear to have been a great improvement. Asphyxiation is now in some favor, and it might prove more satisfactory than the noose, the guillotine or the electric chair.

Admiral Barker has sailed from Lisbon with his fleet for ports in Greece and Austria. It is said he will presently be joined by Admiral Jewell and his fleet, now with Admiral Chadwick at Tangier, the combined fleet to proceed to Turkish waters. This formidable naval demonstration is expected to have a proper effect upon Abdul Hamid and the sublime porte, to secure a settlement of long standing claims and questions. Obviously if Russia has entered any protest against the appearance of American warships in Turkish waters it has not been taken seriously. It is important to this country to bring Turkey to terms, not merely for the settlement of overdue claims against that incorrigible debtor, but because such a just outcome will have some influence upon the lesser sultans in the line of causing them to respect American power. Turkey is decent in its international dealings only when confronted by superior power and the knowledge that it can be used fearlessly.

News comes from Tangier that word has been sent to Raisuli that all of his demands have been granted, and it is hoped this message will cause the delivery of Ion Perdicaris and Cromwell Varley to their friends at Tangier on Monday. If so, all is well. But if the bandit insists upon having a contract from the United States and other powers to sustain the concessions made by the sultan of Morocco, the case is far from settlement. The United States will never give such a guarantee. It has consented to the payment of a ransom, and its urging has constrained the sultan to grant the extraordinary demands of Raisuli, but no self-respecting civilized government could undertake to enter into a treaty with a bandit chief to protect him in the possession of territory and powers acquired by theft. If Raisuli is wise he will drop that nonsense, take what he can get and deliver his prisoners. Any other course will subject him to extreme annoyance and possible capture and punishment.

Before his assassination, Gov. Gen. Bobrikoff had complained to friends about the unsympathetic nature of the people he ruled. He said he had to rely upon the old Finns, as the young Finns were all with the Swedish party, opposed to Russia in every way. They were all hoping for Japanese success, he said, and the war in the far east had aroused all the latent hatred they felt toward their government. But while he recognized the existing condition of popular sentiment it suggested nothing to Babrikoff except more rigorous repression of the people. His assassination has had the same effect upon Russia and Finland is likely to suffer for young Schaumann's crime. The matter, however, serves to illustrate the fallacy of the Russian school-book claim that it conciliates its subject peoples while Great Britain and the United States make enemies of them and wage wars against them. The Russian point of view is peculiar when touching the subject of justice, for the Russian esteems himself without any equals.

The sons of the "dark and bloody ground" harvested their early mint crop this week and went over to St. Louis a thousand strong to dedicate the Kentucky state building at the Louisiana Purchase exposition. The valiant colonels and their pretty wives and daughters made it a notable day at the big fair. With an abundance of mint and corn liquor, blue grass pride reached the climax of enthusiasm. Said Gov. Beckham: "Kentucky has furnished many states with her greatest men, yet she can furnish more if any state is in need. Her supply is inexhaustible." Then the band played "My Old Kentucky Home," the colonels waved their slouch hats in the air and their eyes became moist. You forget, Mr. Beckham. In your speech, patriotic in its praise of Kentuckians, past and present, you forgot to mention Daniel Boone. Young America cannot forgive this oversight. And while you and your fellow citizens of old Kentucky stood there thrilled by that grand old song which Stephen C. Foster wrote for you and which enshrined your state in romance, there was no mention of his beloved name. You forget, Gov. Beckham. You represent a great and glorious commonwealth—a splendid country founded by Daniel Boone and immortalized by Stephen C. Foster, both sons of that other glorious commonwealth—Pennsylvania.

Kuroki's Menacing Advance.

Probably the most important news of yesterday from the seat of war was contained in a modest official dispatch from Gen. Kuroki. It stated that his easternmost column had taken possession of Huai-Cheng, 65 miles north of Fung-Wang-Cheng, dislodging a Russian force of 300 without loss to the Japanese. Huai-Cheng is in advance of Saimatze, at the junction of roads leading to Liao-Yang and Mukden. From the Mukden road, about 30 miles northwest from Huai-Cheng, another road leads north to Kirin.

The importance of this news is in showing that Gen. Kuroki is enveloping Gen. Kuropatkin's right, if he is not actually striking at his line of communications between Liao-Yang, his headquarters, and Harbin, his base of supplies. Gen. Kuroki gives no hint of the strength of his eastern column, but it is probably the largest of the three under his command. The forces of Gens. Oku and Nozu—second and third armies—appear equal to holding the Liao-Tung peninsula, investing Port Arthur and driving the Russians from that section back upon Hai-Cheng and Liao-Yang. Gen. Kuroki's left column is in position to support the other armies at Hai-Cheng, and his central column confronts Liao-Yang by the Mo-Tien-Ling pass route. His right column, then, threatens Gen. Kuropatkin's left or his line of communications and may compel the Russian commander to abandon his elaborate defenses at Liao-Yang without a struggle.

Gen. Stakelburg's defeat in the Fu-Chan region was sufficiently decisive to prove the mastery of the Japanese in that quarter. It is not probable the Russians will make another determined stand on the railroad south of Taschichao, and it may be not below Hai-Cheng. And they seem utterly unable to comprehend the brilliant strategy of the Japanese that is always overlapping their right flank, in the direction of their line of retreat.

The Best Is Needed.

As predicted in The Gazette yesterday, the Slocum disaster has already aroused shipbuilders and naval architects to a discussion of the best means for preventing such disasters in the future. A reprehensible note, however, is struck in the course of their conferences. They admit that the free use of steel in the construction of the upper works of excursion craft would make them perfectly fireproof and safe, but this, they say, would involve greater expense than builders of such boats are willing to incur. To render a vessel "comparatively" safe, they point out, it might be constructed with bulkheads, corrugated iron partitions and a filling of asbestos, all at a cost of only 20 to 30 per cent more than wooden vessels of the Slocum type.

But in the face of such a disaster as that of Hell Gate this is no time to talk of "comparative" safety or of economy in excursion boat building that leaves an acknowledged margin for possible loss of life. If there is a way to make such craft perfectly safe, that is the only way now to adopt, be the expense what it may. Better a few excursion boats of such character than hundreds of compromise affairs which would weigh dollars against even the remote possibility of another Slocum horror.

The Wisconsin Contest.

Two important contests were decided by the Republican national committee yesterday, those from Delaware and Wisconsin. The Addicks delegation from Delaware was given the credentials and the "stalwarts" from Wisconsin, including Senators Spooner and Quarles, were decided to be regular. Delaware acquiesces in the decision without protest, but the followers of Gov. LaFollette in Wisconsin do not submit so quietly. Some of the more hot-headed voiced threats that they would try to defeat President Roosevelt in the Badger state.

This fury will die out. Gov. LaFollette has not sanctioned any antagonism to the national ticket, as far as we know, and has no occasion to do so. President Roosevelt does not control the national committee, and on some points—the committee chairmanship, for example—does not appear to be in sympathy with the majority. There is no evidence that he had anything to do with the decision in either the Delaware or Wisconsin cases. In any event, some decision had to be reached, and as the factions showed no disposition to have a compromise made, one or the other had to be sustained. The "stalwarts" had the better prima facie case, because they held their convention in the hall designated by the state call as the place of meeting—a circumstance that always indicates a majority of regularly accredited delegates.

This fight is one purely for state control. It has no proper place in the national campaign. The LaFollette faction, if it loyally supports the national ticket, may obtain full control of the state organization in another battle, especially if it appears to the people of Wisconsin that it has not been justly treated. If it does that it is bound to get recognition as dominant in the party in the state. If it fails to do that the Spooner faction will be regarded as the more numerous and entitled to the recognition it has received. It is no time to be carrying local quarrels out of boundaries.

The Business Situation.

There was a slight declining tendency to commodity values during the week, grain markets selling off on the improvement in crop prospects and independent producers of iron and steel shading prices in order to obtain business. At the same time there was a reduction in the buying power of the masses through the laying off of additional workmen and the cutting down of hours of labor by railroads and industrial corporations. This was offset to some extent, however, by the resumption of traffic on the lakes following the settlement of labor troubles. The number of men directly involved in this six weeks' dispute was comparatively small, but the number forced into idleness through the embargo on traffic was very large, particularly in the bituminous coal fields, which ship to lake ports. In the Connellsville coke region there has been a very large decrease in output, consequent upon the blowing out of additional iron furnaces, and the indications are that in both iron and coke there will be a further contraction in the volume of business. There has been some accumulation of unsold pig iron during the past five weeks, but this condition is being corrected by the restriction of output. In other lines of trade the reports are almost unanimous that surplus stocks are being cleaned up and that consumers are pursuing a strictly hand-to-mouth policy. If these reports are correct, then it is certain that when the turn comes there will be a rush of business, and in some degree we will witness a reproduction of the conditions prevailing in 1902, when consumers were paying high premiums for the prompt delivery of material.

The report of our foreign commerce was less satisfactory than expected. As compared with the corresponding month in the two previous years there was an increase in imports of merchandise and a decrease in exports. The balance of trade in our favor was only $9,293,847, which is not only the smallest for any month of the present fiscal year, but the smallest for any corresponding month since 1897. For 11 months of the fiscal year, however, the balance in our favor was $458,000,000, which compares with $380,896,000 last year. An interesting feature of the report is that despite the very heavy gold exports during April and May the figures for the 11 months show that we imported $14,000,000 more gold than we exported. Inasmuch as this period covered the payment of $40,000,000 gold on account of the Panama canal purchase, which was wholly outside our commercial operations, and also included subscriptions to the Japanese war loan, the net showing is a gratifying testimony to the strength of our financial position in the world's money market.

There was a slight increase in stock market speculation and investment, and the tendency of values was upward. The general public, however, has not yet fully recovered from the effects of the severe and prolonged liquidation of last year, and confidence has not yet been restored.

The one distinctly favorable feature of the financial and commercial situation is the absence of apprehension. While a spirit of caution pervades all branches of business, it is wholly distinct from a feeling of dread as to the future. Public sentiment might be described in the three words: Cautious but hopeful. There is apparently no desire for self-deception in the expressions of opinion by financiers, manufacturers and railroad traffic managers that next year will witness a revival of general business. There is a genuine feeling that such will be the case, and that expectations can be defeated only by crop failures or unexpected developments in political affairs.

Cannon to right of them,
Cannon to left of them,
Cannon before them volleyed—
"By thunder!
Take th' dern thing away,
Drop it in Oyster Bay,
Gimme a chance t' stay
Alive awhile longer!"

Gen. Kuropatkin, we are told, is in the habit of going to bed regularly at midnight. Latterly his hours for retiring seem to be almost any old time.

If Senator Fairbanks continues to maintain that frigid silence the Democrats had better hurry and get a copyright on their own Sphinx.

If the Columbus prison authorities can't get the undiluted article in the Buckeye state, why don't they try a little Jersey lightning?

On second thought we seem to discern evidences of press censorship in that recent batch of correspondence from Mr. Perdicaris.

A pathetic dispatch from Jericho, Mo., says that "flames engulfed the entire business section of the city. Loss, $4,000."

Santos-Dumont says that he and his brother aeronauts expect to have a fly time at St. Louis.

The Fourth of July casualty list will soon make those far eastern dispatches look like 30 yen.

With dog days coming, the Igorrotes at the world's fair should be right in their element.

For maps that are dark and names that are vain the heathen Chinee is peculiar.

Talked of in Gotham

By GEORGE C. JENKS.

NEW YORK, June 17.—It is not easy to say which is the saddest result of the disaster which sent a thousand women and children to their deaths on Wednesday. For morbid horror, there is nothing can outdo the scenes on the beach at North Brother island, except the morgue at Bellevue. At both places corpses are so numerous that one becomes sickened almost to the point of callousness. The awfulness of it all is more predominant there than the pathos. But in the district of thrifty Germans whence the victims went forth to their death—the few blocks on the East Side, where the houses are clean and in good repair, the stores attractive and the people thrifty—one feels an atmosphere of distress that is downright heartbreaking. The undertakers have begun to hang their streamers of crepe at the front doors. Many doors show half a dozen of them, and it is not the least pathetic feature that all are white. Walk for blocks in this stricken locality, and you see the pitiful white streamers of crepe and ribbons, with bunches of lilies of the valley and daisies intertwined at house after house. It seems as if actually none has escaped in some parts of the neighborhood. Business in the delicatessen stores, the bakeries, butcher shops and groceries goes on as usual. People must eat, even in their grief, and the sale of necessaries of life cannot be stopped, even by a visitation that is as blasting as the onslaught of a pestilence. But there is no interest in the faces of either shopkeeper or customer in most instances. They go about their duties perfunctorily, and seem so utterly beaten down that they do not even talk about the awful thing that is in everybody's mind. Many funerals will take place tomorrow, but more on Sunday. Undertakers have placed the remains of many of the dead in coffins, and nearly all of the caskets are white.

Flags at Half-Mast.

In the morning of the day that the General Slocum steamed to her doom in the East river flags were flying from the tops of flagstaffs everywhere throughout the city. It was Flag day. Yesterday and today flags were still displayed, but they were all at half-mast.

Would Try Barges for Picnics.

Among the suggestions of methods of preventing a recurrence of such a calamity as that of the General Slocum is one that Sunday school excursions should take place on barges. The advocate of barges insists that they are safer than steamboats. This is something to be considered, although it does not appear that carelessness in the "galley" or cook room—which is supposed to have started the fire on the Slocum—is any less likely on a barge than on a steamboat.

Entirely Too Fascinating.

Harlem is considering the question of how many beaux a wholesome American girl may have on her list. It has come up through the arrest of a tailor on a charge of disorderly conduct, because, as he says, he objected to 28 young men spending the evening at his home simultaneously. Here is his story, as he tells it: "I have seven daughters. Every evening each of the girls has four beaux at the house. They would spend my money buying lemonade and cake for these fellows, and on Sunday they would treat the whole mob of young gallants to a square meal. I objected to the way things were going, and was put out of the house." The daughters' reply to this is that they have had many callers, and that their father became so disagreeable they could not live with him. Sentiment in Harlem is divided, but there is a general opinion that perhaps the father had some cause for ill temper, although he ought to be proud that his daughters were fascinating enough to attract beaux in blocks of 28.

Watching for the "Old Man."

Wall street is preparing for the increase in activity which is always looked for when the "old man" comes home. J. Pierpont Morgan is scheduled to sail for New York from London on the 20th.

Wise Lads on Hermis.

Sheepshead started off sensationally with the winning of the Suburban handicap by Hermis, and the wise throng which hangs about the Broadway and Forty-second street corner seems to be satisfied. The bookmakers had so many favorites to lay against that they could not very well lose, while those backers who picked Hermis got good enough odds to make their winnings considerable. If the rest of the meeting should turn out as profitable for the professionable bettors as the opening day, there will be champagne for breakfast all summer for many a man who has been thankful for a cup of coffee at that meal throughout the spring.

Immigrants Like New York.

More than 3,000 immigrants landed here yesterday, and other legions of strangers came in today. The officials at the barge office and Ellis island are overwhelmed, but they are working bravely to keep up a semblance of order in their departments. One sinister feature of the influx of cut rate immigrants this month is that most of them are staying right here in New York when they are allowed to pass the immigration bureau cordon. They do not want to go west. New York seems to be the only city many of them have heard of, and they are allowing themselves to be absorbed in the swarming colonies of their country folk on the lower East and West Sides, with a marvelous faith in the ability and determination of the city to give them a living, without any particular effort on their own part. Out of 1,785 steerage passengers brought by two steamers this week only 12 went west of Chicago.

Fat Men Shy Yellow Shoes.

Tan shoes are so common in New York this summer that the question of their fitness for various styles of people is an interesting study. One of the peculiarities of yellow shoes is that they make the wearer look fat. It is as well for both fat and lean people to know this, so that they may avoid or acquire shoes of light hue, according to the amount of avoirdupois they carry in proportion to their height. It is a valuable study in physiology that has been overlooked too often.

Three of Big Four Leave.

Three of the "big four" of Republican statesmen of New York left this city for Chicago today. They were Gov. Odell, Senator Depew and Senator Platt. Ex-Gov. Black will go tomorrow with Elihu Root, former secretary of war, who will be temporary chairman of the national Republican convention, and other prominent men of the party from this state. Tammany will go to St. Louis en masse just in time for the opening of the Democratic convention and will number 3,000 braves at least, with 1,000 more tagging on behind in other trains, or bewailing their ill-luck in being left at home.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
D. F. Crawford.
Mrs. G. Warmcastle.
Mrs. S. O'Bryan.

Holland.
E. K. Trent.
Edwin M. Power, Jr.
Mrs. Power.
C. N. Peacock.
Mrs. L. W. Dalzell.
Robert Christy.
Mrs. Christy.
Miss Christy.
W. A. Flinn.

York.
James McIlroy.
Arthur Condon.

Imperial.
F. A. Estep.
E. Groetzinger, Jr.
S. B. Cumins.

St. Denis.
Mrs. J. M. Hammett.
Miss Halpin.
Mrs. F. Kaufman.
Miss Hettie Kaufman.

Navarre.
H. Feuchtwanger.

Fifth Avenue.
A. Laurie-Walker.
C. D. Laurie-Walker.
James S. Campbell.
Peter Keil.
Mrs. Keil.
J. T. Keil.
Mrs. Keil.

Morton.
C. Rosemeier.
F. Borenmeier.

Astor.
J. D. Ayres.
C. J. Cox.
M. J. McCooley.
D. W. Eyman.

Herald Square.
L. Kaufman.
William H. Pfahl.
C. E. McHenry.

Hoffman.
H. C. Babbitt.
T. N. Barnsdall.

Vendome.
C. Burdette.
Mrs. Burdette.

Criterion.
C. L. Petgen.

Bartholdi.
E. W. Barnet.

Westminster.
Albert H. Warner.
Mrs. Ida Warner.
Master Warner.

Broadway Central.
A. L. Darby.

Sinclair.
Walter V. Turner.

New Amsterdam.
Joseph Bressove.

Continental.
Charles H. Fiske.

Park Avenue.
G. H. Fink.

Grand Union.
J. F. Grant.

The Quiet Observer

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Are you ever surprised by the sudden recollection of something belonging to the long ago? A bit of an old song, or maybe only a name, or perhaps a stanza or two of a poem that once had pleased you, or that you may have recited in school sometime.

And how these do bother one until they are completely restored, the name of the author discovered, and the book in which they appeared recalled.

And it is real bother, too, for they will not submit to being brushed aside. Night and day they keep bobbing up or poking themselves in, until they are taken seriously in hand and given the attention they demand.

Of course, it isn't the sort of bother that bothers one disagreeably, but the sort that one is tempted to invite, for it carries one back to times and places that are growing pleasanter every day.

And along with these recollections faces come, young and smiling and bright as in days long past.

Every now and again some bothered one comes along and asks to share his bother with our readers, and there are always some who are willing.

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Dear Quiet Observer:—During the fall of 1899 I noticed a poem entitled "The Unknown Picture" in Leisure Hours, a magazine published in Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., by J. Traintor King. In my opinion it was worthy of Shakespeare. I committed it to memory.

On my way from Indiana, Pa., to Pittsburgh a tall, remarkable looking man got on the train out about Wall station. The train being crowded he sat beside me and we got to talking about poetry, and I mentioned the poem. He asked me to repeat it, and finally told me he was J. T. King, and gave me the following history of it.

He said that in the summer of 1899 a dissipated-looking man came into the office who said he had come to the city from Ohio and had been attending a reunion of his regiment, and was short of money, and offered to sell a poem he had written. Mr. King said he glanced over it and gave him $5 for it.

I loaned the magazine and never got it back, and for 30 years or so I've been trying to find the poem. The opening lines were like these: "Like one bewildered by some regal bird poised high in air
Of plumage bright and golden do I gaze on thy sweet picture."

One of my friends suggested that you might know of it, or that a file of Leisure Hours may have been donated to one of the Carnegie libraries.

Some years ago I noticed that J. Traintor King had died in New Orleans.

I think "Douglass" was the name signed to the poem. I wrote to several Ohio towns, and to John Hays, but could learn nothing definite concerning the poem or the author.

T. B. WILGUS.

Morgantown, W. Va.

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Mr. Quiet Observer:—I enclose a copy of "What Is Charity?" from memory. It is taken from Cubbs Signal, which was used in the public schools between 1849-50. Can you furnish the author? HENRY A. LAVELY.

"Tis not to pause when at my door
A shivering brother stands;
'Tis not to ask the cause that made him poor,
Or why he help demands.

'Tis not to spurn that brother's prayer,
For faults he once has known
'Tis not to leave him in dispair
And say that I have none.

The voice of charity is kind,
She thinketh nothing wrong
To every fault she seemeth blind,
Nor vaunteth with her tongue.

In penitence she placeth faith,
Hope smileth at her door;
Relieveth first, then softly saith,
"Ah, brother, sin no more."

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Mr. Quiet Observer:—When you quote Pope and strike out "fame" and insert "shame," you ought to be ashamed of yourself. J. B.

If friend "J. B." will get a standard, unexpurgated edition of Pope he will find that shame is the word, it being the antithesis of honor, both of which are the result of our actions.

Notwithstanding the word fame is often used instead of the word shame, and by some who claim to be familiar with popular authors, Mr. Pope did not so write it; at least, it does not so appear in standard editions of his works.

The sonnet entitled "Opportunity," which appeared in this column recently, seems destined to become quite famous by reason of one Dr. Nicoli Gigliotti of Erie, Pa., claiming to be its author. Ever since its first appearance none had doubted that the late senator, J. J. Ingalls, wrote it and it is quite probable that the honor will continue to be his.

The doctor, who is of Italian birth, has published two volumes of verse in his native language. He asserts that he wrote the famous sonnet in 1887, in Italian, and that it was printed in various periodicals in Italy under the title "Il Fato." The original poem which he now presents to the public with a prose translation, presents a startling parallel to "Opportunity." Senator Ingalls gave his poem to the world through Truth, then edited by his friend, Blakely Hall, in 1891.

Mrs. Ingalls denies the story vigorously, saying that none of the family ever heard of Dr. Gigliotti before, and that the senator could not read Italian. It is pertinent to remark here that the poem was so widely published, so universally quoted, that it seems strange if it were a plagiarism or a translation of "Il Fato" that Dr. Gigliotti waited 13 years and until after Mr. Ingalls' death, to expose the alleged fraud.

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Robert Burns, the world's Scotch poet, wrote concerning two dogs, or "two dawgs," and he wrote well and entertainingly, as was his wont. And now comes our own Ella Wheeler Wilcox with a poem about two cats, and it is a right down good poem, good enough to be given herewith:

THE PET CAT.

Dainty little ball of fur, sleek and round and fat,
Yawning through the lazy hours, someone's household cat,
Lying on a bed of down, decked in ribbons gay,
What a pleasant life you lead, whether night or day.

Dining like an epicure, from a costly dish,
Served with what you like the best, chicken, meat or fish.
Purring at an outstretched hand, knowing but caresses,
Half the comforts of your life, pussy, no one guesses.

Romping through the house at will, racing down the hall,
Full of pretty, playful pranks, loved and praised by all.
Wandering from room to room to find the choicest spot,
Favored little household puss, happy is your lot.

Sleeping on my lady's lap, or dozing by the grate,
Fed with catnip tea if ill, what a lucky fate!
Loved in life and mourned in death, and stuffed maybe at that,
And kept upon the mantel-shelf—dear pet cat.

THE TRAMP CAT.

Poor little beggar cat, hollow-eyed and gaunt,
Creeping down the alley-way like a ghost of want,
Kicked and beaten by thoughtless boys, bent on cruel play,
What a sorry life you lead, whether night or day.

Hunting after crusts or crumbs, gnawing meatless bones,
Trembling at a human step, fearing bricks and stones,
Shrinking at an outstretched hand, knowing only blows,
Wretched little beggar cat, born to suffer woes.

Stealing to an open door, craving food and heat,
Frightened off with angry cries and broomed into the street,
Tortured, teased and chased by dogs, through the lonely night,
Homeless little beggar cat, sorrow is your plight.

Sleeping anywhere you can, in the rain and snow,
Waking in the cold, gray dawn, wondering where to go,
Dying in the street at last, starved to death at that,
Picked up by the scavenger—poor tramp cat!

—The Independent.

Leonidas Hubbard

THE STROLLER.

A clean, manly life; a life that was just budding into great literary promise was cut short when Leonidas Hubbard, associate editor of Outing, died of starvation in the wilds of Labrador. His was one of those tragic young careers, all the more pitiful in that its brief span had been marked with brilliant and signal success so long as it had been given him to work.

It seems but yesterday that he came among some of us on the staff of the Detroit Evening News—a slightly-built chap with big, muscular, brown hands and a tremendous bass voice, all out of proportion to his slender, lithe frame strung with muscles of steel, developed by assiduous practice in the gymnasium of the University of Michigan, from which he had been recently graduated. His thin, tanned face, flushed with a strong tide of pure blood, was lit up by a pair of brown eyes, girlish in their rich fulness and sweeping lashes, but decidedly masculine in their snap and keen penetration. Earnestness, intense earnestness, was stamped on every lineament of his features and formed the keynote to his character. No assignment was so small that he did not throw himself into it with such energy and seriousness as if the very prosperity of the paper depended on it. And every assignment he "went after" he seemed to get. No "interview" was too tough for him to tackle, for no one appeared able to withhold his confidence in the presence of those serious eyes and those earnest features.

Hubbard came to the office as a "cub," so far as experience went. In six months he had outstripped a dozen men in the room and had been sent to the state capital to represent his paper during the session of the Michigan legislature. It was a job that many a man coveted and would have been glad to "tie to," but Hubbard's ambition sought for higher things. He suddenly cut loose from the paper and announced that he was going to try his fortune in New York.

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For weeks in the great metropolis the ambitious young newspaper man led a hand to mouth existence, subsisting on the proceeds of such "space" matter as he was able to sell. Finally he obtained a position on the staff of the New York News, but had hardly settled down into harness before he was stricken with typhoid fever and carted off to a hospital. His wiry constitution brought him through after a long pull. During the period of his convalescence, when he was too weak to walk, he tried his prentice hand at editorials for a weekly magazine and soon found himself in receipt of a comfortable little income. But with restored vigor came the desire to throw himself again into more strenuous life. The News had been sold and the old staff had been "cleaned out," even down to the office cat. So Hubbard hied himself to the editorial sanctum of Outing. His interview was short and to the point. When he walked out a few moments later, he had a commission as traveling correspondent.

It was at this period that he came into my life again. I was sitting in a court room in a Western New York city one day when a hand was laid on my shoulder and I looked up to meet Hubbard's smiling features. Together we went to the depot and waited for his train while he told me of his good fortune. He was on his way, he said, to write up the game preserves of the west; after that he was to take a run up to Montreal and Quebec and describe the winter sports of Canada; this done, he was to make a long jump to an island in the Gulf of Mexico, populated by the descendants of Spanish buccaneers, or something of the sort, and then—well, then he was going to tackle the biggest assignment of his life, the exploration of the dark interior of Labrador. There was keen exultation in the quiet tone in which he announced his darling project. He was a true son of the wilderness, a veritable journalistic Ishmael, and his heart leaped at the call of the wild.

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"But before I make that trip," he added, and his voice dropped to a matter of fact tone with just a suspicion of embarrassed affectation, "there's a little girl back in Michigan who's promised to be my wife, so we'll probably have the knot spliced before I leave."

A few moments later the train bore him out of sight and almost out of mind until I read that a Labrador dog team was bringing home the body of a lad named Hubbard, who had starved to death, and that a little bride from Michigan was tearfully awaiting the sorrowful burden.

Not So Bad, After All.

The bureau of statistics has presented a bulletin showing comparisons between prices in May, 1903, and May, 1904, that ought to bring delight to every man who pays grocers' bills and every woman who makes bargain-hunting excursions to the market. The bureau of statistics admits that there has been an advance in the price of cattle, wheat, corn, oats, coffee, butter and sugar, and all the products of those commodities that enter so largely into the daily menus on the family table, but these advances are compensated by marked reductions in other household commodities. While we may grumble at the price of sirloin steaks, we may find consolation in the fact that leather has dropped to bargain-counter prices and that mohair is simply a drug on the market. Butter may be commanding almost prohibitive prices and flour may make the family loaf a luxury, but the housekeeper should be cheered by the fact that spelter is cheaper than it has been for years, and that Manila hemp and sisal rope have been marked down until the consumer may practically make his own price for them.—Washington Post.

Made His Mark Early.

Workmen engaged in moving some hangings in the supreme court room in the capitol at Washington recently discovered the name "Arthur P. Gorman" cut in one of the marble columns. In 1832 the present supreme court room was the senate chamber and "Arthur P. Gorman" had just been appointed a senate page.—Boston Herald.

What Say the Wives?

A woman may lack admiration for the man whom she doesn't quite approve. But she doesn't lack contempt for the same man if he let her materially change him.—Baltimore American.

Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Washington.
The Misses Martin.
The Misses Leird.

Monticello.
Robert R. Singer.
Mrs. Singer.
J. A. Sinser.
Miss Jane R. Singer.
The Misses Graff.
Francis B. Munich.
Hugh Munich.
William Munich.

Lindell.
Samuel B. Walters.
M. C. Livingston.
William Loeehy.

Epworth.
P. A. Lewis.

Southern.
P. P. Benjamin.
W. S. Brockstone.
Mrs. Brockstone.

Planters.
R. E. Chanill.
G. D. Edwards.
Howard Irish.
S. B. Belden.
Mrs. S. Belden.
Mrs. G. A. Black.

Christian Endeavor.
Miss E. L. Crawford.

IT IS TO SMILE.

"Do people think much of him around here?"
"I wouldn't be surprised if they did. I understand that he owes them about $75,000."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"Truth," remarked the moralizer, "is stranger than fiction."
"Yes," rejoined the demoralizer, "and the majority of men seem to be shy of associating with strangers."—Columbus Dispatch.

"A smile," remarked the long-haired poet, "is the same in all languages."
"G'wan!" exclaimed the bartender. "Dey varies frum one t' four fingers. See?"—Columbus Dispatch.

The carver at meals and policemen
Certainly have common points,
For with both it is quite a problem,
How they may "locate the joints."
—Town Topics.

"Is that your mule?" asked the man who was going fishing.
"Yessir," said the colored man, who was sitting on a log by the road.
"Does he kick?"
"'Deed, mistah, he ain't got no cause to kick. He's gittin' his own way right along. I'm de one dat's havin' de worry an difficulty."—Washington Star.

The Death Roll

Hon. William C. Smith.

Hon. William C. Smith died Thursday at Everett, Pa., after a lingering illness, aged 59 years. He was a prominent Republican, holding many positions of trust, the last held having been inspector of rural routes. He served three terms in the Pennsylvania house of representatives. He enlisted as one of the emergency men when Lee invaded Pennsylvania. Later he taught school and improving his time by the study of law, was admitted to the Bedford bar. He was at one time active in newspaper work, having founded the Bedford Republican, which was later consolidated with the Inquirer. Later he purchased the Everett Press, which was consolidated with the Leader. During 1890 he conducted the Scottdale News. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, the Knights of Pythias and the Patriotic Order Sons of America. He is survived by a widow and the following children: Thaddeus S., Pittsburgh; Daniel J., St. Louis; Ross O., Clare, Okla.; Ralph W., W. C., Jr.; Scott S., Marguerite, Evelyn and Nellie, Everett. Six brothers and one sister survive him, namely: John O., David O. and Benjamin F., Bedford, Pa.; Scott S., Allegheny; Wellington and Sheridan, Billings, Mont., and Mrs. James Gephart, Bedford.

Patrick O'Leary.

Patrick O'Leary, aged 54, died at his home, No. 1710 Swissvale avenue, Wilkinsburg, late Thursday night, of Bright's disease. He was born in Wales and came to this country when four years old, settling in Penn township. He was a member of St. James' Catholic church, Wilkinsburg. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary A. O'Leary, and 10 children, Daniel and John of Wilkinsburg; Joseph of Steubenville, O., and Catherine, Maude, Ellen, Annie, Elizabeth, Sadie and Cecelia, of Wilkinsburg.

Samuel Hebron.

Samuel Hebron, aged 65, a well-known resident of Braddock, died yesterday morning at his home in Craig street, Bellefield. He was born in this city and removed to Braddock about 25 years ago, to engage in business. He had been a resident of Bellefield for three years. The funeral will be held from the home of his son, Samuel Hebron, Jr., in Hawkins avenue, North Braddock. Mr. Hebron was a member of the Parker Avenue United Presbyterian church, Braddock.

Rear Admiral James A. Greer.

Rear Admiral James A. Greer, retired, U. S. N., died yesterday at Washington, D. C. He had been ill about six months of ailments due to old age. He was 72 years old and had been on the retired list since 1895. Burial will be at Arlington cemetery Sunday.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Henry F. Baer, formerly of Greensburg, Pa., is dead at her late home in Crafton Terrace. She was 32 years old and is survived by her husband and several children.

James Reed, aged 41 years, died in Buhl hospital, Sharon, Pa. He was born at West Middlesex, Pa., and was employed at the open hearth steel mill. His widow and six children survive.

John Foley died Thursday at his home in Fairfield township, Westmoreland county, aged 76 years. He was born in Ireland. For years he lived in New York. His wife died four years ago. A sister-in-law, Miss Elizabeth Lemon, is the only relative in this country. He was known as the "valley poet," having published a book of poems which had a wide sale in the Ligonier valley.

PERSONALS

O. Edward Hall, a member of the Potters' Credit association of East Liverpool, O., was in Pittsburgh yesterday and left last evening for his home. Mr. Hall travels for an East Liverpool firm and for the past eight weeks has been on the road. In discussing the condition of his trade, he said: "Pottery is somewhat the same as eatables, people must have it. Despite this fact, the sales have diminished during the past few months. Prices have been reduced on several kinds of articles, yet there appears to be little demand. This is not due to a business depression, but because the output the past few years was greater than the consumption, and the jobbers purchased more than they sold. After carefully studying the territory, I predict a good season next year."

Maj.-Gen. Nelson A. Miles, retired, of the United States army, spent yesterday in Pittsburgh and left last night for Washington. He came to the city from Waynesburg, where he delivered an address at the commencement of the Waynesburg college.

William T. Lechlider, assistant to the general superintendent of transportation of the

EDUCATION FOR WOMEN DEFENDED

President of Bryn Mawr College Speaks in Press Congress. Mass Meeting Held.

AMERICAN LADIES ARE HEARD

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, June 17.—In the first and second sections of the Women's congress today "University Study for Women" was discussed by representatives of Germany, the United States, Great Britain, France and Denmark.

In the first section Miss Kearey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr college, spoke on "The University Education of Women in the United States." She defended university work for women from the assertion that it overtaxes their physical strength and renders them unfit for matrimony. Miss Thomas claimed that more men break down from overwork in American universities than women. University women, she added, do not lose the inclination to marry and their families are larger than other women. Women must throw their entire influence in favor of unrestricted education. The address of Miss Thomas was received with great applause.

The second considered "Women's Work in Art, Literature and Journalism." Mrs. Alice Horne of the Utah legislature, described the art work of girls in Utah schools.

The third section was occupied with "Women and Trade Organizations." Mrs. Maud Nathan of New York described the workings of the consumers' leagues.

The fourth section devoted the day to a discussion of woman suffrage in churches and municipalities. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of Wyoming spoke on the progress of women in American churches and denominations.

A great mass meeting in favor of woman's suffrage was held at Philharmonic hall tonight. Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt and the Rev. Anna Shaw speaking for the United States, Mrs. Millicent Garrett Fawcett, widow of the famous blind postmaster general, for Great Britain, Mrs. Napier for New Zealand and others for France, Holland and Norway. Mrs. Catt said that everybody had observed the improvement in the character of the officials in those states which had granted woman suffrage. Since the change had been introduced in Colorado, Mrs. Catt said, that state had passed the best laws in the world for the protection of children and the low average of divorces in Wyoming, as compared with other western states, she attributed to woman suffrage. The Rev. Anna Shaw demanded suffrage for women in the interest of the state itself.

NO REWARD IS PAID.

Until the Facts of Kovovick's Confession Are Sifted, No Money Will Be Paid.

Until employes of the Ferguson Contracting Company and the police have thoroughly sifted the confession of Milovar Kovovick, sentenced to death in Washington county for the murder of Samuel T. Ferguson, there will be no reward paid for the capture of Kovovick and Paitrovick in England, and their extradition to this country. By the contracting company and the county a total of $6,000 was offered for the apprehension of the men with the money in their possession. If the necessary evidence can be secured against the three men now supposed to be in Croatia, they will be arrested there and brought back. There is no hurry about paying the reward and there has been no request for it.

The securing of extradition papers, trip to England, consequent wait until the red tape of the proceedings had been accomplished and the return, cost close to $2,000. This amount, which was advanced by the Ferguson company, will be deducted from the amount offered for the capture of the two Croats, leaving somewhat over $4,000 for distribution, which amount includes the $1,000 offered by Washington county. As to the distribution of the money, Mr. Ferguson said that was a matter for consideration by others.

It appears that the employes of the company did considerable detective work in getting after the murderers, and this is made more evident by the statement of Contractor Ferguson to the effect that his men are even now engaged in an investigation of the facts of Kovovick's confession

GONIA TO BE EDUCATED.

Sole Survivor of Harwick Mine Disaster Gets $1,000, and Will Attend School.

Adolph Gonia, the only survivor of the Harwick mine disaster, in which 176 men lost their lives, is to be sent to the public schools. This is the suggestion of the Cheswick relief committee, which has recently placed in trust $1,000 for the afflicted boy. Gonia is only 20 years of age. He has been advised to spend the summer months with his mother near Springdale, with the hope that he will entirely recover from his injuries and the shock. The relief committee is still in existence and will likely be until all cases which are being traced in foreign countries have been heard from.

SMALLPOX EPIDEMIC IS PRACTICALLY AT AN END

By Next Week Last of Convalescents Will Be Discharged and No Houses Are at Present Under Quarantine Regulations.

For the first time in four years the Municipal hospital will be free of smallpox patients next week, if no new cases develop in the meantime. At present there are only six patients in the infirmary, and these are convalescing rapidly. Early next week all will be discharged, and as no new cases have developed during the past 10 days the officials of the bureau of health believe that the smallpox is at last stamped out.

The scourge of the disease which is now broken up has been the longest in duration of any that has ever infested the city. At the present time there are no figures available of the exact number of cases that have been treated in the hospital since the outbreak became serious, or of the number of persons who have succumbed to the disease, but the officials are of the opinion that the number of cases successfully treated will run into the thousands, while the total number of deaths will be large in the aggregate, but will be but a small percentage of the number of patients.

In addition to the cases treated in the hospital, there were many who were allowed to remain at their homes and receive treatment there from the bureau physician on account of the over-crowded condition of the hospital when the plague was at its height. Yesterday there was not a single case under treatment outside of the hospital, and not a single house in the entire city under quarantine. Almost all of the guards have been suspended, and the remainder, including the officers, will be dropped in a few days unless new cases develop.

It is the intention of the bureau officials to disinfect all the plague spots around the city where cases have been known to originate. An abandoned camp in the Thirty-sixth ward, formerly the lodging place of negro laborers on the Wabash extension, was disinfected yesterday by Superintendent Moore and John Beeming. Many cases came from the camp. Superintendent Moore said yesterday that it was the intention to clean up all such places as rapidly as possible.

During the past week nine cases of scarlet fever and seventeen cases of diphtheria were reported to the bureau. Yesterday one case each of scarlet fever, diphtheria and typhoid fever were reported.

BIGELOW ASKS LARKIN FOR BRIDGE FUNDS

Director Proposes to Start Ferry at Point as Soon as Possible.

Director Bigelow applied yesterday to Controller Larkin for permission to transfer $2,500 or $5,000 from the Point bridge fund to pay the expenses of running a ferry at the Point while the bridge is being repaired. The director asked the controller if he would consent to the transfer without having a resolution passed by councils authorizing the transfer.

Larkin was of the opinion that the transfer could not be legally made unless authorized by councils, as the intended use was for a different purpose than that for which the money was appropriated. It was Bigelow's idea to have the money transferred as soon as possible, so that the ferry could be put in immediate operation.

Director Bigelow, accompanied by the wharfmaster and several other city officials, visited the Point yesterday to decide on the landing places for the ferry. The boat will land on the south side at Nimick's mill and on the north side below the Wabash bridge, as near to the foot of Penn avenue as possible.

COMPANY OFFICERS HELD.

Receiver of Eleanor Iron & Steel Company Charges Fraud in Sale of Machinery.

John H. Robinsteen, president of the Eleanor Iron and Steel Company of Irwin; George Robinsteen, secretary, treasurer and general manager of the company, and Mrs. Eleanor Robinsteen, wife of the president, had a hearing yesterday before Alderman McMasters. The Robinsteens were charged by George E. Guyer of the East End, at present receiver of the steel company and formerly a large stockholder in the concern, with conspiracy to defraud. According to the allegations of Guyer, who took charge of the books of the company upon being appointed receiver, the defendants defrauded the stockholders out of large sums of money. The specific charge on which the information is brought is that John H. and George Robinsteen, who comprised the majority of the board of directors, held a meeting at the offices of the company in this city on August 28, 1901, and passed a resolution authorizing the purchase from Mrs. Eleanor Robinsteen of certain machinery she was alleged to possess.

The machinery, it is claimed, was valued at $6,600. In lieu of the purchase money she was voted at different times some 500 shares of capital stock in the company, which was valued at $52,000. When the concern went into a receiver's hands an investigation, it is claimed, showed that the alleged machinery which was purchased from Mrs. Robinsteen had never been owned by her, but had been bought from Wickes Bros., local machinery dealers, by John Robinsteen direct on behalf of the Eleanor Iron and Steel Company.

The only witnesses heard were Guyer, who produced the books and records of the company, and Frank E. Fitzgerald, a salesman for Wickes Bros., who testified that all his dealings had been with Robinsteen and as far as he knew Mrs. Robinsteen never owned the machinery. Each of the defendants was held for court in $1,000 bail, which was furnished.

East End Board of Trade.

The regular monthly meeting of the East End board of trade will be held in the rooms of the association, Shady avenue, on Monday evening, when an important amendment to the by-laws will be acted upon.

Homestead Man Is Missing.

John Jack, aged 23, a well known young man of Homestead, is missing from his home. He went to the Homestead steel works on Saturday, drew his pay and has not been seen since.

ENGINEERS MAP OUT NEW EAST LIBERTY STATION

Surveys There This Week Show That Big Passenger Depot Is Soon to Be Built.

The presence of a corps of engineers this week around the East Liberty station carefully surveying the ground has given rise to the belief that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company plans to start work in the near future on the great passenger station which will be constructed there.

Provisional plans have been prepared for more than a year for this station, and it is the stated intention of the company to make the building one of the handsomest they have ever built. It will be primarily a station, not an office building, and everything modern in station arrangement and facilities will be given it. To a large extent it will take the place of the present Union station. Trains will be run there from the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston and the West Penn divisions, as well as the Allegheny Valley and the main line. Already an interurban passenger service has been inaugurated between points on the Ft. Wayne and points on the main line of the Pennsylvania railroad east of East Liberty.

It is said that the plans are in such shape that the work of preparing the foundations can start this fall. This will give the company the use of all the coming season for good weather to carry forward its construction work.

GETS RHODES FELLOWSHIP.

University Officials Award the Prize to Benjamin M. Price of Oakmont.

The committee on the awarding of the Rhodes fellowship, composed of President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton university, chairman; H. B. Hine of Princeton and President Austin Scott, of Rutgers, met in New Brunswick, N. J., yesterday, and appointed Benjamin M. Price of Oakmont, Pa., for the fellowship. Price was graduated from Princeton with the class of 1904.

Benjamin M. Price is the second son of Charles B. Price of Oakmont, a former superintendent of the Allegheny Valley railroad, and is a graduate of the Shadyside academy, 1901. His parents are now living in Atlantic City, having rented their home in Oakmont during their absence abroad last summer. A younger brother, Charles Denniston Price, is also a Princeton student. Price goes as the representative of Princeton. The scholarship is for $1,500 and a three-year term.

Seventeen-Year-Old Boy Accused.

INDIANA, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—Earl Lydick, aboue 17 years old, was arrested last evening and placed in jail, charged with attempting an attack on the little six-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. James Fencton.

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DEATHS.

BEADLING—Suddenly, on Thursday, June 16, 1904, at 8:30 p. m., ROBERT C., husband of Emma Beadling (nee Deare), and son of Robert and Elisabeth, in his 26th year.

Funeral services will be held at the Beadling Presbyterian chapel, Beadling, Pa., Sunday, June 19, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BIER—On Wednesday, June 15, 1904, at 10:10 p. m., EDWARD BIER, husband of Lucy Jane Forbes, and son of Henry Bier, aged 37 years.

Funeral services from his late residence, 5826 Parker street, East End, on Saturday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

BOLINGER—On Wednesday, June 15, 1904, at 6:15 a. m., JAMES ALEXANDER, son of John and Mary Bolinger, in the 30th year of his age.

Funeral services at the residence of his parents, 1015 Madison avenue, Allegheny, on Saturday, June 18, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of the S. of V. No. 33 and all other S. of V. are respectfully invited to attend.

HALSTEAD—At St. Luke's hospital, MRS. J. L., wife of J. L. Halstead, May 21, aged 23 years 7 months.

Funeral services will be held at the residence, No. 466 South Eleventh street, Monday, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

HARE—On Thursday, June 16, 1904, at 2 p. m., MARGARET, widow of Patrick Hare.

Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Casberger, Brighton road and Kirkpatrick avenue, Allegheny, Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Blessing services at the Church of the Annunciation at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HANCOCK—At Hampton farm, DeHaven, Pa., on Thursday, June 16, 1904, at 7 p. m., MARY IVY, daughter of the late Major John Hancock.

Funeral services at St. John's Episcopal church, Main and Butler streets, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KUEHN—On Friday, June 17, 1904, at 8:30 p. m., at the Passavant hospital, EMMA KUEHN, beloved wife of A. B. Kuehn, in her 25th year.

Interment in New York city.

[New York papers please copy.]

MILLER—On Thursday, June 16, 1904, at Sidney, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, ROSS, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, Aged 19 years.

Notice of funeral later.

STRATHERS—On Tuesday, June 14, 1904, at 4 p. m., ALLAN STRATHERS, in his 55th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 146 Larimer avenue, Turtle Creek, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectively invited to attend.

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HUSBAND COWHIDED BY WIFE IN FIFTH AVENUE

Handsome Woman Halts Rig, Lashes Coachman and Professional Man—Mounts Box and Accompanied by Nephew Drives Away.

Fifth avenue saw its first genuine cowhiding last night about 10:45 o'clock, when a fashionably dressed woman intercepted a stylish rig and laid the whip to the two male occupants of the buggy, who, unable to stand the blows, jumped to the street and disappeared. The woman thereupon mounted the driver's seat and drove to Oliver avenue, where she was joined by a male companion and the two rode swiftly towards Seventh avenue.

The rig is the property of a professional man who has an office in Smithfield street, and when not in use is kept at the Keystone stables in Seventh avenue. Late yesterday afternoon the owner, accompanied by a well-known hackman, took the team from the stables and started for a drive through the downtown streets. The wife of the professional man in the meantime learned of the alleged drive and determined to put a sudden stop to the fun.

Early in the evening she attired herself in a neat gray walking suit, under the folds of which she carefully concealed a cowhide. She is said to have been heavily veiled at first, but at the time of meeting her husband her face was not shielded.

Alone she made the circuit of the well-known drinking and eating places down town and one or two of the side streets, but was unable to locate either the horse and buggy or her husband. The woman in gray then summoned a nephew to assist her in the search, but before he could reach Fifth avenue the quarry was found.

After a long search the mysterious woman, who had already attracted the attention of the policeman at Fifth avenue and Smithfield street, took her stand at the intersection of those streets about 10:30 o'clock, where she was to meet the nephew.

Fifteen minutes later the coveted object hove in sight. Driving swiftly along Smithfield in the direction of Sixth avenue was the professional man with the hackman holding the reins. Without regard for protection, the mysterious woman suddenly darted from the crowded pavement through the line of cabs and moving traffic and seized the bridle of the horse. So well did she judge the distance that the animal was thrown on his haunches and the occupants of the buggy, for the instant, were startled. They soon realized the gravity of the situation, however, when the woman, as swift as a dart, lashed a keen whip over her head, bringing the tail across the head and shoulders of her husband. A blow was then directed at the driver, who precipitately hit the pavement and disappeared. The woman is said to have declared something about "staying at home," but her words were spoken in vain, for the husband likewise followed the driver. Evidently satisfied, she then threw the cowhide into the buggy, took her seat and drove alone as far as Oliver avenue, where she was met by her nephew.

The affair created considerable excitement for a time, but so quickly was the deed done that no one seemed to realize what had happened until the women drove away. The rig was shortly afterwards taken to the Keystone stable.

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MISS IDA FREYBERG.

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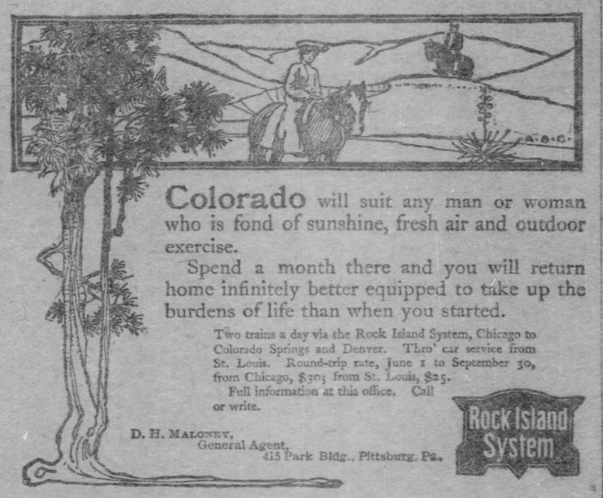

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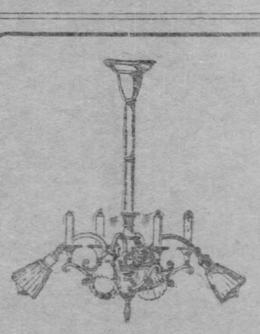

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BOBRIKOFF DIES OF ASSASSINATION

Russian Governor-General Recently Charged Unrest in Finland to Swedish Element.

SITUATION IS GRAVE, INDEED

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—Gen. Bobrikoff, governor general of Finland, who was shot by a Finn yesterday, died in the palace at Helsingfors early this morning. The governor general of Warsaw was stricken with paralysis when informed of the death of Gov.-Gen. Bobrikoff. The assassination of Gen. Bobrikoff has stirred up a great sensation and temporarily absorbs interest from the war. The papers are filled with extended biographies of the deceased, detailing the difficulties of his office. The editorials denounce the crime and comment on the conditions in Finland.

HELSINGFORS, FINLAND, June 17.—A requiem mass was celebrated at the governor's palace today for the repose of the soul of Gen. Bobrikoff. It was attended by the Russian officials. A small crowd assembled outside the building. The body of Schaumann, the assassin of Bobrikoff, who committed suicide after shooting the governor general, will be buried quietly tomorrow. In order to maintain public tranquility the authorities have established a strict press censorship.

Bobrikoff Blamed the Swedes.

What may be regarded as Gen. Bobrikoff's dying declaration concerning the conditions in Finland is contained in a statement made to M. Belaieff, a Russian literary man, who has just completed a tour of the country and who had a long talk with the late governor general Tuesday. Bobrikoff regarded the present situation very satisfactorily, expressing satisfaction. The Finns, he said, thoroughly understood the state of affairs and were manifesting correct relations toward the Russian administration. He continued:

"The trouble is all with the Swedes. Swedomania is still a very strong propaganda and is pushed in the most underhanded and disreputable fashion. In order to poison the people's minds proclamations are showered from Sweden. We seize what we can, but they form a regular hydra, wherever one head is chopped off another grows. My sympathies are on the side of the Old Finns, who form seven-eighths of the population. I believe in them. The majority of the senate is composed of Old Finns. I selected them. I prefer them to the Swedes, hence the hostility of the latter.

Hotbed of Dissension.

"Helsingfors gives me no rest, night or day. The city is a hotbed of dissension. It seems to boil automatically because of the hostility and rivalry between the parties. I repeat that I rely mainly on the Old Finns. The Young Finns and the Swedish party are much the same, the only difference being that the former are more cowardly than the latter. The Socialist party, of which the Young Finns are the heart and soul, is a cunning, timeserving organization. The conscription this year passed off quietly. Only a small percentage proved unsubmissive. The Swedish proclamations are having little effect, the conscripts themselves bringing them to us in bundles. Of course the Finns do not sympathize with us. They rejoice at the Japanese victories and pull wry faces over our successes. There is no denying that it is a difficult time for us, especially in regard to our frontiers. Concessions are necessary, but at the same time they are not advisable yet. The Finns' attitude toward Russia is outwardly correct. They have freely subscribed to the war funds. The Swedes, of course, tried to organize hostile demonstrations but we kept them down. The streets of Helsingfors are quiet, but no one knows what goes on in the houses."

Evidently Feared Assassination.

Gen. Bobrikoff's parting words to M. Belaieff, were:

"I hope to see you back alive."

M. Belaieff, speaking of the result of his tour, said: "I visited all the towns along the west coast of Finland and called on the best people. Everywhere I was greeted with discouraging opinions. The people loyal to Russia have a hard time. At Hango the inhabitants are in constant communication with Sweden and England and Russia's authority is represented by a single police master and 20 policemen. The fjords are the scene of ceaseless activity and what is going on there is readily imaginable.

"At Aabo the Swedes are stirring up the people by calling seditious meetings. At the clubs and in the restaurants nothing but politics is discussed. The Finns are resisting stubbornly but are inclined to give way. The Young Finns are masters of the working classes and the Swedes are masters of the Young Finns. At Nicolaistad, which may be regarded as the Swedish stronghold, and farther north, at Tammerfors, the anti-Russian movement is steadily growing. There may be heard such expressions as 'Guerrilla warfare,' 'Complete defeat of Russia by the Swedes,' and 'Assurances of British aid.' It is time for our statesmen to interfere. They are deceived about pro-Swedish sympathy. England is everywhere working against us. In a word, I heard the most gloomy and most discouraging statements on all sides."

Shooting of Bobrikoff Described.

Senator Linden, vice president of the senate, who witnessed the shooting of Bobrikoff, described the scene as follows: "Schaumann reached the building a few minutes before Gov. Bobrikoff, greeted a messenger and did not betray any unusual emotion. He ascended to the third floor and was seen peering over the railing. No attention was paid to his actions as it was quite usual for sightseers to thus get a peep at the governor general. Bobrikoff, in full uniform, drove up to the senate, dismissed his aids at the door and started up stairs. At the same moment Schaumann started down stairs, and he and the governor reached the second landing simultaneously. Schaumann held a revolver concealed in his hands and as he passed Bobrikoff he shot him through the body. Governor Bobrikoff walked in the direction of the office of the committee of justice and Schaumann followed, firing two more shots, one of these shots striking the governor in the neck. The murderer then pressed the muzzle of the revolver to his heart, pulled the trigger, fell unconscious on top of the steps and died 15 minutes later. Not a word passed between Schaumann and the governor. The latter, in the meantime, had succeeded in opening the door and entering the committee room. I asked him if he was wounded, and he replied 'No.' Then I noticed that blood was flowing from him and before I could say any more Bobrikoff fainted."

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The First of the Season.

On Thursday, 23d inst., the Pennsylvania railroad will have their first seashore excursion, leaving Union station, Pittsburgh, at 8:55 a. m., with Pullman parlor cars and day coaches, reaching Atlantic City at 8:35 p. m. Rate $10.00 round trip for coaches only, or $12.00 in parlor or sleeping cars, when accompanied by usual Pullman tickets. Evening trains with coaches and sleeping cars at 3:55 and 9:00 o'clock and sleeping cars only, at 10:00 o'clock.

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FRENCHMAN WINS THE BENNETT CUP

Jenatzy, the German Champion Autoist, Loses Trophy in Race at Saalburg.

GERMAN ROYALTY PRESENT

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

SAALBURG, June 17.—France, represented by Thery, today won the Fifth International motor race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, the great event of the motoring world, from Jenatzy of Germany, the holder of the trophy, by 11 minutes and 18 seconds after a magnificent speed test of 348 miles over a difficult and dangerous course. Decaters of Germany was third, 45 minutes and 10 seconds behind Jenatzy. Thery's total time was 5 hours, 50 minutes and 3 seconds, and Jenatzy was 6 hours, 1 minute and 21 seconds. Jenatzy arrived at the winning post first, but his actual running time was 11 minutes and 18 seconds longer than that of the Frenchman.

Fortunately the race was not marred by any serious accident, which, owing to the difficult nature of the course, had been gloomily predicted. It was a vast and brilliant cosmopolitan assemblage which greeted the winner of the trophy, and apparently his nationality and the fact that the German champion had been beaten on a German course in no way lessened the generosity of the ovation accorded the Frenchman.

Kaiser Congradulates Winner.

Emperor William himself, who with the empress was an interested spectator, was the first to extend congratulations to France. The emperor immediately sent for Baron de Zuylen, president, and other members of the French Auto club, who were presented to their majesties in the royal box.

Baron de Zuylen thanked the emperor for his cordial reception and for the measures which had been taken for the success of the races. Turning to the members of the committee the Baron proposed three cheers for the German emperor, which were given with a will, taken up by the multitude in the stands and repeated again and again. Their majesties left the course immediately afterwards, while the bands played the German national anthem.

The perfection of the weather contributed to the success of the meeting, which was attended by a vast concourse of people, who poured in on special trains, in vehicles and on foot from all parts of Germany.

Distinguished Spectators.

Among the royal and other distinguished spectators, in addition to Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria, were Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia, Prince Frederick, Prince and Princess Frederick Charles of Hesse, Prince Leopold, the hereditary princess of Saxe Meiningen, Ambassador Tower, who during the day conversed with the emperor and empress in the royal box; Allison Armour, J. L. Harriman and a number of other Americans and representatives of the British nobility and the British Auto club.

The only American in the race was Marden, who drove an American car. Opel, Swiss, was obliged to retire, owing to a broken shaft. Jenatzy, however, narrowly escaped a catastrophe early in the race. At the bottom of a long, straight incline, approaching the village of Wehrheim, is a level crossing. Jenatzy was nearing the bottom of this incline, which is the fastest bit of the whole course, when the frantic shouts of the spectators induced him to slacken his speed. A few seconds later Jenatzy came in sight of the crossing and saw thereon a locomotive, right in the middle of his course. But for the fact that he had previously slackened his speed, Jenatzy must have met with disaster. The incident, however, only cost him a minute's delay.

During the race Emperor William, accompanied by Ambassador Tower, went from one stand to another to gain a better view of the course.

SAYS BOY DISCOVERED FIRE IN FORWARD CABIN

Deckhand on Slocum Gives New Story as to Cause of Excursion Disaster.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 17.—Edward Flanagan, first mate of the Gen. Slocum; John T. Coakley, one of the deck hands; Walter Payne, colored, a porter, and George Owens, steward in charge of the clam chowder booth, were examined by Coroner Berry today and the statements taken by a stenographer. Coakley's statement differs somewhat from the already published statements, but he is corroborated to a large extent by the other members of the crew. He said:

"Before the boat started two barrels of glasses packed in salt hay were brought on board. After the glasses had been emptied from the barrels, the barrels and the hay were put into the forward cabin, which is a sort of storeroom for oil and lamps.

"A little boy ran up and told me that there was a fire in the forward cabin. I ran down, and there I saw quite a large blaze among the hay and barrels that I had put there. There were two bags of charcoal lying near. I grabbed one and tried to smother the fire out. I could not put out the fire, so I called for Mate Flanagan. Flanagan yelled to Engineer Conklin to turn on the water in the hose, and then he and myself grabbed the hose. By this time the fire was burning briskly. It was very dark down there, and in some way people on the boat were attracted by the fire.

"When we reeled off the hose many men helped us to do it. This put a lot of kinks in the hose and when the water was turned on full force it burst.

"When the captain steered for North Brother island he did the very best thing he could. If he had landed any place else the boat surely would have gone under 40 feet of water.

"I think the fire was caused by somebody throwing a cigarette into the salt hay."

ALEXANDER DODDS.

PHYSICIANS OFF TO BATTLE WITH DISEASE ON ISTHMUS

OMAHA, NEB., June 17.—Dr. J. Frances Schefelk of Hutchinson, Minn., one of the medical commissioners appointed by the government to look into the health conditions of the Panama canal zone, passed through Omaha today en route to Portland, where he will superintend the loading of supplies for the work of the commission. Dr. Schefelk said about 18 months would be spent in making excursions and outlining plans for combatting the diseases of the tropics.

OPEN TILL 6:30 TONIGHT.
Kaufmann's Store Open As Usual This Evening.

Owing to a mistake in yesterday morning's Gazette, it was announced in the advertisement of Kaufmann's that the store would close at 5:30, Saturday evening, whereas it will be open till 6:30, which is the usual closing hour for Saturdays.

Saturday Fares For Spending Sunday At Lake Resorts.

Erie, $3; Conneaut Lake, $2.50; Ashtabula, $2.50; North East, $3.25; via Pennsylvania Lines from Pittsburgh, Allegheny, Sewickley, Beaver, Rochester, New Brighton, Beaver Falls and New Castle, good returning until Monday, inclusive.

South Side Water Rents.

All bills for water rent on the South Side should be paid this month to avoid the delinquent charge of 5 per cent after July 1. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

Cheap Excursion to St. Louis.
P. & L. E. R. R.; rate $12; every Tuesday.

Go to Ashtabula Harbor Saturday. P. & L. E. train 1:50 p. m. Rate, $1.75.

RECOMMEND OIL FOR NAVY FUEL

Conclusions of Board Are Made Public by Department at Washington.

ENGINEERING FEATURE SOLVED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The navy department today made public the conclusions of the liquid fuel board of the navy, consisting of Commander John R. Edwards, Lieut. Commander W. M. Parks, and Lieut. Commander F. H. Bailey, formed as the result of tests covering a period of 28 months with coal and oil respectively as a navy fuel. In the opinion of the board an intelligent fire room force should find no trouble in burning oil in a uniform manner, and for general purposes on shore high pressure steam was found to be a better spraying medium than air.

Regarding the question of burners, the board says that "as the warship is designed to be operated at short notice, under the severest forced draft conditions, the question will have to be considered whether it is not more advisable to fit air burners that would be found most efficient for the day of battle, rather than effect an installation of steam burners that are most desirable for general cruising."

The board declares that no fuel oil installation should be permitted for marine purposes which would not permit a return to coal within 24 hours in case of the failure of the oil supply. It says that with the use of oil the forcing of a marine boiler can be more readily accomplished than with the use of coal. The board is of opinion, however, that no attempt should be made to use oil as auxiliary or supplementary to coal. The evaporative efficiency of crude and refined oil it finds is practically the same, no matter from what locality the oil may come. For marine work it says no crude oil should be used.

In conclusion, the board in its report says:

"In view of the fact that 48 per cent of the world's output of crude petroleum is produced in the United States, and practically our entire yield is secured from fields which are in pipe line communication with important maritime and strategic ports, the board considers that a joint commission representing commercial, manufacturing, maritime and naval interests should be authorized by congress, whose province it would be to formulate rules and regulations that would provide for an economical, efficient, enduring and safe fuel oil installation, particularly for the development of our commercial interests in the Gulf of Mexico and on the Pacific coast should the work of such commission have an important influence in extending our prestige and power, whether viewed from a commercial, maritime or naval standpoint.

The board regards the engineering or mechanical features of the liquid fuel problems as having been practically and satisfactorily solved. For manufacturing purposes, the financial and supply features of the fuel are the only hindrances to the use of crude petroleum as a standard fuel. For mercantile purposes, the commercial and transportation features of the problem are existing bars which limit the use of oil fuel for merchant ships. For naval purposes, there is the additional serious difficulty to be overcome of providing satisfactory and safe structural arrangement for carrying an adequate bunker supply. For a time the effort should be made to use oil fuel only for special purposes in particular localities.

Because of the international interest in these experiments Secretary Moody has ordered that 5,000 copies of the report be printed for distribution.

ELKS TO GIVE BENEFIT FOR SLOCUM SUFFERERS

Their Successful Minstrel Show to Be Repeated in the Nixon Next Friday.

Pittsburgh lodge, No. 1, B. P. O. Elks is the first organization in the country to come to the aid of the sufferers in the General Slocum disaster. On next Friday night at the Nixon theater the will repeat the minstrel show which was received with so much enthusiasm by a big audience this week. Arrangements have been made by Mayor Hays appoint a committee to audit the accounts and to send the money to New York immediately.

While the local Elks were entertaining their delighted audience in the Nixon on Thursday evening, the wires from New York were bringing to the newspaper offices the harrowing details of the catastrophe in the straits of Hell Gate. The success of the performance and the encouragement which the minstrelmen had received led them to plan for a repetition for the benefit of the hundreds of bereaved families in New York. Yesterday morning William H. Hall, exalted ruler of No. 11, Thomas F. Kirk, Jr., James P. Dunlevy, E. J. Small and John A. Reed called upon Mayor Hays and told him of their ideas. The mayor agreed to appoint a committee to audit the receipts for the benefit and to send a draft to Mayor McClellan of New York without delay. About the same time Mr. Kirk received the following telegram from S. F. Nixon, owner of the Nixon theater:

"I will give the use of the theater for the New York sufferers with the greatest of pleasure. S. F. NIXON.

"We expect to raise over $2,000," said Mr. Kirk last night. "The seats will be disposed of at popular prices, except those in the boxes, which are likely to command fine premiums from those who will wish to make especially generous contributions. The tickets are now being printed and will be placed on sale at the leading hotels and the Nixon box office on Monday morning. The tickets will be exchanged for reserved seat coupons at the theater on Thursday morning. The performance will be the same as that given at the benefit on Thursday night."

James P. Dunlevy will manage the entertainment, and the duplicated program will be improved by more frequent rehearsal. It is practically an old-time minstrel show brightened by new songs and new jokes. It is all local talent that the Elks employ, but there is no evidence of amateurishness about the show. The vaudeille bill is better than the average seen in the regular vaudeville theaters, and was received with wild demonstrations of enthusiasm.

CORTELYOU AT WESTFIELD.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor Visits Scenes of His Youthful Schooldays.

WESTFIELD, MASS., June 17.—Secretary of Commerce and Labor George B. Cortelyou received an ovation here today when he revisited the town where he formerly attended school.

Although the object of the secretary's trip was primarily to attend the triennial meeting of the alumni of the Westfield Normal school, the townspeople arranged a demonstration in his honor. When his train arrived here this afternoon Secretary Cortelyou was met by a committee of citizens, who escorted him to the Park Square hotel, where he was tendered a reception and banquet by the board of trade.

The banquet was attended by more than 150 persons. The speakers, in addition to the secretary, included Congressmen Lawrence and Gollette.

The principal address was delivered by Secretary Cortelyou, who limited his remarks to reminiscences of old days in Westfield and to an outline of the work of his department.

Congressman Lawrence, in his address, said that as chairman of the Republican national committee, the guest of honor would prove the right man in the right place. This declaration evoked enthusiastic applause. Secretary Cortelyou will preside tomorrow at the meeting of the Normal school alumni.

Cannot See Grand Jury Record.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The application of counsel for Mrs. Nan Patterson, charged with the murder of Caesar Young, to inspect the minutes of the grand jury in connection with the indictment of Mrs. Patterson was denied today by Judge Newburger in the court of general sessions. In denying the application Judge Newburger set next Tuesday as the day for pleading.

BANKS RELEASED IN HANNAH ELIAS CASE

Supreme Court Discontinues Proceedings Against Financial Institutions.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 17.—Many of the 129 banks and trust companies named as defendants in the suit of John R. Platt against Hannah Elias, the negress, to recover more than $700,000, have obtained orders from the supreme court discontinuing proceedings against them. Platt alleged that they had on deposit various sums of money which he had been blackmailed into giving Mrs. Elias, and he prayed for an injunction restraining them from paying out the same to the defendant.

In filing the suit, however, Platt's attorneys sent letters to the banks and trust companies, saying that if they would assert that they had none of Mrs. Elias' money on deposit the case against them would be discontinued. Already 30 banks have done so, and discontinuance orders have been signed by various justices of the supreme court.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

WESTINGHOUSE GOES EAST TO ATTEND ANNUAL MEETING

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—(Special.)—George Westinghouse of Pittsburgh, president of the big airbrake and electric corporation bearing his name, passed through Philadelphia on his way to New York this morning, to attend the annual meeting of his company, Wednesday. Mr. Westinghouse, who was accompanied by several members of his family and two or three guests, traveled in his private car, Glen Eyre.

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FOUR CHURCHES TO BE DEDICATED

Quartet of Inaugural Services in Neighboring Houses of Worship to Be Held Tomorrow.

MEETINGS IN THE PARKS

Four churches are to be dedicated in the vicinity of Pittsburgh tomorrow. The Reformed Church of the Ascension, Termon avenue, near California avenue, Allegheny, will be consecrated in the morning at 11 o'clock, when the Rev. Dr. Richard C. Schiedt, professor of natural science of Franklin and Marshall college, Lancaster, Pa., will deliver the sermon. In the afternoon an interdenominational meeting will be held and in the evening Dr. Schiedt will preach. The church has been erected at a cost of $31,000, is modern in every detail and includes a gymnasium, bowling alleys and billiard room in the basement, and also several commodious meeting rooms. The pastor, the Rev. A. C. Dirrenbach, organized the congregation in September, 1902.

The First Presbyterian church, Homestead, erected at a cost of $70,000, exclusive of lot, will be dedicated tomorrow. Three special dedicatory services will be observed, at 11, 2:30 and at 7:45 o'clock, while the various church organizations will conduct services nightly during the coming week. An elaborate program of exercises for tomorrow has been prepared by the pastor, the Rev. Nathan Dushane Hyson.

The First Baptist church, McKeesport, of which congregation the Rev. J. A. Maxwell is pastor, will observe its dedication tomorrow. A special musical and dedicatory service will be observed in the morning, in the afternoon the Bible school will conduct the services and in the evening a platform meeting will be held, when addresses will be made by the Rev. A. T. Gordon, the Rev. Dr. J. W. Miles, the Rev. Dr. W. H. Decker, the Rev. W. A. Caldwell and the Rev. Dr. W. S. Danley.

In Donora, Pa., the new Methodist Episcopal church is to be consecrated. It is a handsome stone and gray brick structure of gothic style and was erected at a cost of $18,000. Morning, afternoon and evening services will be held. The pastor, the Rev. Dr. G. W. Grannis, will be assisted by the Rev. Dr. C. C. McCabe, the Rev. W. H. Kirkland and the Rev. Dr. G. D. Crissman. Services will be held nightly during the coming week.

A grand membership rally will be held in the Walton Methodist Episcopal church, Sarah and South Twenty-fourth streets, tomorrow, when a reunion of former and present members will be had. During the morning service the pastor, the Rev. Dr. J. E. Wolf, will receive 50 new members into the church.

Bishop W. B. Derrick of the African Methodist Episcopal church arrived from his home in New York city last night and will conduct services in the Wylie avenue church, of which the Rev. R. S. Lee is pastor, tomorrow morning.

The Rev. P. A. Lucky of South America will begin a 10-day revival in the Fulton Street Christian Alliance church tomorrow morning.

The first religious service in the parks this season will be observed tomorrow. In the evening, at 6:15 o'clock, a song and devotional service will be conducted in West park, Allegheny, by the Rev. Dr. S. Edward Young. Tomorrow afternoon a religious and song service will be held in Highland park.

Off for European Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Knolle and daughter will leave Pittsburgh for Europe tomorrow on the steamship Necker. Mr. and Mrs. Knolle were tendered a farewell reception at their pretty home in McKees Rocks last evening and received the farewells of their host of friends. Mr. Knolle has been very actively identified with the business interests of Pittsburgh for the last 30 years and numbers among his friends the representative caterers, hotel and restaurant men, and is now about to enjoy a rest from his long application to business by taking a well-deserved rest. He purposes visiting Germany, France, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Greece, Turkey, England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales. Capt. Samuel Annear is a fellow passenger.

The First of the Season.

On Thursday, 23d inst., the Pennsylvania railroad will have their first seashore excursion, leaving Union station, Pittsburgh, at 8:55 a. m., with Pullman parlor cars and day coaches, reaching Atlantic City at 8:35 p. m. Rate $10.00 round trip for coaches only, or $12.00 in parlor or sleeping cars, when accompanied by usual Pullman tickets. Evening trains with coaches and sleeping cars at 4:55 and 9:00 o'clock and sleeping cars only, at 10:00 o'clock.

Excursion to Wheeling Every Sunday Via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves station, corner of Smithfield and Water streets, 8:40 a. m.; returning leaves Wheeling 5:40 p. m. Fare, $1.50 round trip.

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NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT AT JEFFERSON ACADEMY

Exercises Also Occur for Alliance, O. High School—Franklin and Marshall Seniors.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., June 17.—The regular annual commencement of Jefferson academy, Canonsburg, was held tonight before a large and fashionable audience. The graduates are:

Margaret Cosnet, Canonsburg; Lelie Crumrine, McConnells Mills; Bertha Donaldson, Canonsburg; Arthur Donaldson, Canonsburg; Howard McFee, McConnells Mills; Nellie Freed Boyce and Boyd Fulton, Canonsburg; Clark Gree, Canonsburg; Berdie Manna, Claysville; Estella Linn, Canonsburg; Frederick Mollenauer, Eighty Four; Grace McWilliams, Canonsburg; Joseph Newcomer, Hickory; Wenona Sprowls, Canonsburg; Olive Smiley, Canonsburg; Morland Ballentine, Canonsburg; France Briceland, Canonsburg; Margaret Fowles, Canonsburg; Irene Mooney, Canonsburg; George Slater, Canonsburg; Rachel Hogg, Waynesburg; Jennie McBurney, Canonsburg; John Sprowls, Canonsburg; Gilmore Bigler, Bissell; Albert Hogg, Waynesburg; Lillian Jobes, Beallsville; Cora Quivey, Midland; Stella Rhodes, Jefferson; Clair Hamilton, Canonsburg, and Frank Cherka, Bohemia, Austria.

ALLIANCE, Ohio, June 17.—The graduating exercises of the Alliance High school were held tonight in the First Methodist Episcopal church. Music was furnished by the High School Glee club and the Lone Rock Male quartet. The class of 1904 numbered 29 members, as follows:

Zella E. Knoll, John T. Burnette, Howard G. Coleman, Roy K. Culbertson, Leroy L. First, Walter A. Hazlett, Martha C. Henry, Josephine Holibaugh, Ava Hudd, Edna Ilgenfritz, Anna L. Kelly, Blanche A. Lindersmith, Willis G. Matthias, Helen L. Miller, Florence G. Palmer, Frances W. Richards, Fred M. Riley, Ethel R. Russell, Harry L. Senn, Etura E. Sloane, S. Donald Smith, Edgar B. Taylor, Will R. Triem, John W. Weichrecht, George Zimmerman and Ethel M. Montgomery.

The annual banquet by the alumni association for the graduating class was held in the dining rooms of the Methodist Episcopal church, and was served by the ladies of the church. Dr. Harry March of Canton acted as toastmaster. Toasts were given by Elijah Bates, Cleveland, and Anna L. Kelly, Karl Kepinger, Maud R. Levy, Norman Clark and Mary Kay, Alliance.

LEWISBURG, PA., June 17.—The authorities of Bucknell university announced today that a well-known philanthropist had given a library building which will be erected during the next year. It will cost $50,000. The name of the donor will not be made known until next week.

NEW ATHENS, O., June 17.—The 79th annual commencement of Franklin college will begin Sunday when the baccalaureate sermon will be preached by the Rev. W. M. Butler of Cadiz, O. The sermon to the Christian association will be preached by the Rev. George R. Dickinson of Zanesville, O. On Monday the address to the literary societies will be delivered by the Rev. W. L. Darsie of Lewistown, Pa. Tuesday evening the Philo and Jefferson banquet will be held and on Wednesday evening class exercises. On Thursday the alumni meeting and commencement exercises will take place. The graduates are: Mary E. Hanson, Cadiz; Edna E. Campbell and H. Vernon Baker, New Athens; Jesse E. McManis, Elizabeth, Pa.; Charles D. Frazier, Zanesville; E. O. Perkins, Hendrysburg, O.

FINDLAY, O., June 17.—The Rev. C. J. Brown was elected president of Findlay college, yesterday. He is from Shippensburg, Pa.

CLEARFIELD, PA., June 17.—The following girls graduated at the commencement exercises of the parochial high school last night: Irene Rosalia McNeerney, Margaret Elizabeth McDonald, Mabel Agnes Dunlap, Julia Josephine Kujawa and Johanna Cornelius Sacket.

Work on Road Postponed.

GREENSBURG, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—The officials of the Blairsville, Derry & Latrobe Railway Company, in which ex-Gov. Stone is a heavy stockholder, have waived a hearing in the injunction proceedings brought by Mrs. Mary A. Johnston and Joseph C. Head to restrain them from cutting away an embankment in the rear of the petitioners' homes in Derry street. The completion of the line has been indefinitely postponed, as the case will not come up for argument until the next session of court.

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MAN, CRAZY OR DRUNK, FATALLY CLUBS WOMAN

Appearance of Sheriff's Posse Prevents Lynching in Gould Oil Field, Ohio.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

STEUBENVILLE, O., June 17.—A brutal attack on Mrs. John Hook at Goulds station today at noon, which will result fatally, aroused the male portion of that neighborhood to a point where the assailant narrowly escaped lynching. The assailant says he is Lawrence Martin of Raymilton, Venango county, Pa. He can give no excuse for the act and it is thought to be the result of drink or temporary aberration. The Hook house is situated in the center of the Gould oil field.

While Mrs. Hook was working in the kitchen after dinner she looked up and was startled to see a man enter the door, bareheaded and without coat or vest. He carried part of a fence rail and yelled, "I will kill you." Mrs. Hook started to get a rifle behind a door, but the intruder pressed so close she kept on through the house into the yard screaming for help. In the yard Martin caught up to her and two blows from the bludgeon crushed her skull, and left her unconscious on the grass. Men at the barn heard the woman's scream and started for the house. Martin started to meet them. He threw the club at the foremost man, Frank Marker, who grappled with him, and Edward Ekey used the club in beating Martin down, fracturing his skull. He was tied hand and foot after a struggle. During the struggle the husband and hired man appeared and wanted to shoot Martin. They were only prevented by force. Oil men and farmers flocked to the place after the news spread. Only the appearance of a sheriff's posse prevented a lynching. Martin was lodged in jail this evening.

Martin says he was acting under the delusion that somebody had hit his father with a club. He was determined to have revenge on somebody and Mrs. Hook was the first person he met.

Brings Suit for $10,000.

GREENSBURG, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—R. Alexander of Jeannette has brought suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for $10,000 for having been ejected from a train last October.

THIEVES ABUSE AND ROB AGED WOMAN IN ALTOONA

Enter Home in Daylight, Bind Her, Secure $18 and Fire House.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALTOONA, PA., June 17.—Two thieves committed a most daring crime in the heart of the city shortly past 1 o'clock this afternoon. The men rapped on the back door at the home of Mrs. Barbara Young, an aged woman, residing at 1310 Twelfth avenue. Being alone she responded to the knock. The callers asked if she had rooms to rent, and upon telling them she had none, the woman turned to get an address where they might be accommodated. Just then the visitors pushed into the house, one locking the door and the other drawing a revolver, with the threat to the terrified woman of "Not a word or I'll blow your head off." They demanded money, but she said she had none.

After exploring the first floor they ordered her to go upstairs. Reaching the hall she started to run. They overtook her, tearing away her clothing and brandishing a revolver in her face. They carried her back to the sitting room where they tied her to a rocking chair. They then struck the defenseless woman a terrible blow on the breast rendering her unconscious. The house was then searched from top to bottom and the woman's little earnings of $18, saved from renting rooms, was found. Angered at not securing a larger sum, the men set fire to two beds, one on the second and the other on the third floor. They then returned to where Mrs. Young had recovered her senses. She pitifully plead for her life, but the ruffians struck her again on the breast and left her in her burning home. The driver of a passing wagon noticed flames coming from the house and turned in a fire alarm. The first company on the scene was one having with it the woman's son, who is a fireman. Dashing through the dense smoke, he found his mother and carried her to safety. The fire was extinguished, the damage being principally to furniture. Mrs. Young is in a serious condition, but will recover. The robbers escaped.

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ROOSEVELT WILL VISIT KNOX AT VALLEY FORGE

President to Spend Sunday in Pennsylvania After Attending Wedding.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, June 17.—President, Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Carew will leave Washington Friday evening, June 17, at 10 o'clock, over the Pennsylvania railroad, to attend the wedding of the president's niece, Miss Helen Roosevelt, to Theodore Douglas Robinson, at Hyde Park, N. Y., tomorrow at noon. They will be accompanied by Assistant Secretary Barnes. They will arrive at Hyde Park about 11:30 Saturday morning and will start on the return trip to Washington about the middle of the afternoon. It is their intention to spend Sunday with Attorney General Knox at Valley Forge, Pa., where they will arrive late tomorrow evening. The president's train will leave Valley Forge early Monday morning and reach Washington at 11:32 o'clock.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 17.—(Special.)—The little Episcopal church of St. James in the village of Hyde Park, Duteness county, was the scene this evening of the most notable event in its history. It was the rehearsal of the marriage ceremony by which Miss Helen Roosevelt, daughter of James R. Roosevelt, and Theodore Douglas Robinson are to be united in wedlock. There were no guests at the rehearsal and the bride and bridesmaids were only their ordinary costumes. The bridesmaids are Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the president; Miss Corinne Douglas Robinson, sister of the groom; Miss Caroline Dayton, first cousin of the bride; Miss Mary Newbold, Miss Eleanor Roosevelt and the Misses Whitmore. Charles Edward Adams is to be the best man.

Coroner's Verdict on Explosion.

FINDLAY, O., June 17.—The verdict of Coroner Balsley in connection with the explosion at the Lake Shore torpedo factory several weeks ago, which resulted in the death of half a dozen persons and the injury of many others, was rendered today. The coroner finds that "the victims came to their death by being employed on Sunday in the torpedo department of the Lake Shore Torpedo Company works. Whoever or whatever caused the explosion is unknown."

Dr. Levy to Lecture.

NEW CASTLE, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—Dr. J. Leonard Levy will lecture here at the opera house June 22, for the benefit of the Almira Home fund.

Brides

Are always "beautiful" and always "happy" according to the society reporters, and in this case the report is mostly true. There may be unhappy brides in fiction, but there are few in real life. But how hard it is to look upon many of the wives we know, and believe that they were once beautiful and happy. Pain, the result of womanly disease, has marred beauty and undermined happiness.

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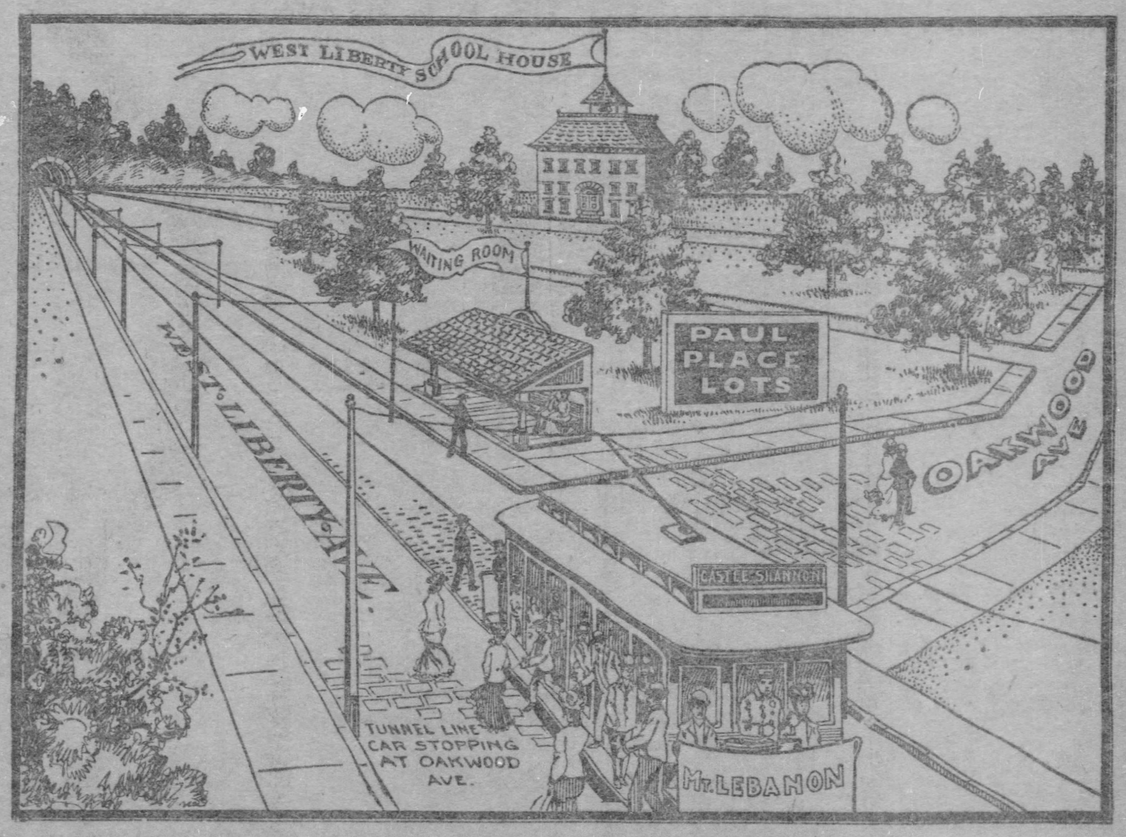

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OUTLAWS SECURE RICH TREASURE

Bandits Get $65,000 by Holding Up Northern Pacific Express Train.

ENGINEER LIGHTED THE FUSE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BUTTE, MONT., June 17.—The eastbound North Coast limited express, the big overland passenger and finest and fastest train on the Northern Pacific railroad system, was held up at 11:05 o'clock last night in Bearmouth, Mont., 60 miles west of here, by masked men believed to be the "Dutch Henry" gang of outlaws, a remnant of the band of desperadoes once headed by "Kid" Curry, and plunder estimated at $65,000 secured.

B. E. Palmer, superintendent of the Rocky Mountain division of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, has offered $2,000 reward for the capture and conviction of each of the robbers. The state has also offered a reward of $500.

"Kid" Curry, a former leader of the suspected gang, is leading a posse after the train robbers. Another posse is in pursuit with bloodhounds.

The robbery was one of the most daring and successful train holdups in the history of the west. The scene of the robbery is the same locality where the North Coast limited was held up and robbed a year ago by a lone masked robber who shot and killed Engineer Dan O'Neil. It is one of the wildest spots traversed by the Northern Pacific and with several hours' start the desperadoes have good chances of escaping from the country.

Safe Blown to Pieces.

Forty sticks of dynamite placed on the top of the through safe carrying the currency shipments from Portland, Ore., Seattle, Wash., and the coast to Chicago and New York, completely wrecked the big iron box, hurling the massive hulk a distance of 50 feet from the track and tearing the express car to splinters. So great was the force of the explosion that the door of the safe was thrown about 60 feet and for a radius of 40 feet about the ruins of the safe, gold and silver coin, bank notes in packages and loose bills of all denominations together with the other valuables were scattered promiscuously.

Engineer Jack Wade and his fireman saw the robbers coolly fill two sacks with the precious articles, besides cramming a few handfuls of bank notes and gold pieces into their pockets. After securing their booty the bandits fired two shots over the heads of the engineer and fireman and disappeared in a northerly direction toward the Black Foot country.

Four men did the job though Wade and his fireman declare there were but two. The outlaws boarded the North Coast limited in Bearmouth and, hiding behind the tender, rode about two miles when they crawled over the tender and covered the engineer and fireman with revolvers.

Engineer Lighted Fuse.

They forced them to alight from the engine and proceed to the express car where the engineer, under threat of instant death, was forced to call for the messenger to open the car door. While this was being done one of the robbers coolly lighted a cigar which he commanded Wade to accept with his compliments.

The messenger, realizing that a holdup was in progress, refused to open the door, and one of the desperadoes then placed a stick of dynamite under the latch of the car door, ordering the engineer to touch it off with the lighted end of his cigar. This Wade did and the explosion tore out the whole side of the express car, the messenger jumping through the wreckage and escaping in the dense timber lining the track, the robbers sending a rain of bullets after him. Engineer Wade was then compelled to place 40 sticks of dynamite on the top of the big safe carrying the wealth of the limited.

After the fuse had been ignited by the engineer's cigar the robbers retreated several hundred yards with their prisoners, when a terrific explosion occurred which shook the earth like an earthquake. After the explosion one of the robbers began yelling and firing his six-shooter along the sides of the train, apparently to create the impression among the trainmen and passengers that a number of robbers were engaged in the holdup.

Wild Scene in Coaches.

The ruse was a success, as the scene of pandemonium which reigned among the 225 passengers of the train was such as is seldom equalled. Men, women and children crawled under the seats and lay flat down in the aisle in an effort to save themselves from possible harm.

A Butte man named Annaweldt, who was a passenger on the North Coast limited, threws new light on the robbery. He declares that while two men did the actual work they had several confederates in the woods down the track.

After the safe had been blown up and the booty secured, the two robbers rushed the engineer and fireman down the track away from the engine. Mr. Annaweldt followed until noticed. When the robbers had gone 150 yards they stopped and yelled:

"It's us, with the fireman and engineer; don't shoot."

Voices from the woods yelled: "All right, come on."

Then Mr. Annaweldt heard the tramp of hoofs as if a party of men were mounting horses. The robbers commanded the engineer and fireman to stay where they were and entered the woods. Later Mr. Annaweldt heard them ride away. He says that judging from the sound there must have been seven or eight men.

Sheriff Thompson of Missoula is on the scent with a posse of 60 men and dogs. The dogs have the scent, and from the continued baying of the hounds, Guard Minchew believes the fugutives are not far distant and that a battle will soon occur.

CONTRACTED FOR SHOWS.

Special Attractions Secured for South Side Carnival on Carson Street.

A delegation of members of the Building Trades council, including the committee of arrangements for the midsummer festival and carnival to be held at Wabash park, South First and Carson streets, two weeks commencing June 27 and closing July 9, went to Wheeling yesterday to witness the performance of several high-class shows with a view of selecting some to take part in the South Side carnival. One of the shows contracted for was the Bostock's mechanical steeplechase, a $33,000 device, with its life-sized galloping horses, rollicking roosters, gondolas and chariots.

The electrical palace was also visited. The committee contracted for this show several days ago on its own initiative. The show includes Mlle. Mamie, the queen of fire, introducing the latest fire, water and snow dances. Electrical transformation scenes include the magic lake, waterfalls of fire, Dante's Inferno, forest of snow, silver clouds, electric fountain, magic bridge, river of gold and the lake of crystals.

TO SINK WELLS AT CARNEGIE MILLS IN HOMESTEAD

Following the experiments of the borough of Braddock and Homestead in securing pure water in mature by filtration through the gravel bed of the river by sinking wells, the Carnegie Steel Company have awarded contracts for the drilling of several wells at the Homestead steel works to furnish water throughout the plant. The number of wells to be drilled has not yet been determined, but it is intended to sink sufficient to secure a water supply for all the needs at the works.

Charged With Embezzlement.

GREENSBURG, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—George Wilson of Larimer was arrested this morning by Constable Waxabaugh, charged before 'Squire J. P. Elher with embezzlement. It is alleged Wilson, as tax collector of North Huntingdon township, was short in his accounts $1,-600. One of his bondsmen, John Creighton of Herminie, made the information. He was committed to jail in default of bail.

ESTATE OF QUAY LEFT TO FAMILY

Late Senator Also Bequeathed $10,000 to Anne Penebacker, the Housekeeper.

RICHARD R. IS AN EXECUTOR

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BEAVER, PA., June 17.—The will of the late Senator M. S. Quay was probated today. It gives no idea of the amount of his estate, and provides that this shall remain the secret of his executors by stipulating that they shall file no accounting. The will was made the 27th day of May, the day before he died. In the typewritten manuscript the date is May 26, but this has been erased and 27 substituted. The signature of the senator is very crooked and the capitals are scarcely decipherable, showing that he was very feeble, but the tail of the "y" is made with a firm downward stroke. The witnesses were his physicians, Drs. J. H. Wilson and Lawrence Litchfield, and Col. Samuel Moody. The only bequest outside of the family is $10,000 to Anne Penebacker, who was the family housekeeper for years. The text of the will follows:

I, Matthew Stanley Quay, of the borough of Beaver, county of Beaver and state of Pennsylvania, do hereby make, publish and declare this my last will and testament, to-wit:

First—I hereby revoke and make null and void all former wills by me at any time made.

Second—Having already made an ample and satisfactory provision for my wife, the use, benefit and enjoyment of which are already secured to her, I declare such provision to be in lieu of all dower and statutory rights which she might have in my estate as my widow.

Third—I give and devise to Matthew Stanley Quay, son of my son, Richard R. Quay, my farm in Chester county, Pennsylvania, known as the Brandywine Manor farm.

Fourth—I give and bequeath to my daughter, Coral Quay, my library now in my residence at Beaver, Pa., and I request my said daughter, if it should so happen that she does not desire to retain said library or it at any time becomes inconvenient or burdensome for her to keep and care for the same, that she shall then dispose of it by giving it to my grandson, Matthew Stanley Quay, son of Richard R. Quay.

Fifth—All the rest and residue of my estate, real, personal and mixed, shall be sold by my executors hereinafter named, and converted into money, and my executors shall pay therefrom all my just debts and liabilities.

Sixth—After payment of my debts and liabilities my estate shall be divided into five equal parts, one of which parts I give and bequeath to my son, Richard R. Quay subject to the payment by him to Annie Penebaker of the sum of $10,000 in cash. I also give and bequeath one of said portions to my daughter, Coral Quay, and another to my daughter, Susan W. Quay.

Seventh—I hereby give and bequeath to my executors hereinafter named one of the said five equal parts in trust to invest and collect the incomes and profits arising therefrom and to pay said incomes and profits to my son, A. G. C. Quay, as long as he shall live, but with this restriction, that the total amount paid in any year to my said son, together with all such other incomes as he may have from other sources, shall not exceed $4,000. And I hereby direct that no part of the said trust fund or of the incomes or profits arising therefrom shall be subject or liable for any debts now existing or which may hereafter be contracted by my said son, A. G. C. Quay. And I further direct that in case the incomes and profits arising from said trust fund, together with the other incomes of my said son, A. G. C. Quay, would amount to more in one year than said sum of $4,000, the excess shall be invested by my executors and trustees and shall be added to the principal of said trust fund. At the death of my said son, A. G. C. Quay, I direct my executors and trustees to pay to A. G. C. Quay and Esther Dempsey Quay, the two children of my said son, A. G. C. Quay, the sum of $20,000, and the balance of said trust fund shall be divided equally between my children then living.

Eighth—I give and bequeath to my executors and trustees hereinafter named the remaining share or fifth part of my estate in trust to invest the same and collect the profits and incomes thereof and to pay such profits and incomes to my daughter, Mary A. Davidson. In the event of the death of Mary A. Davidson, I give the portion of my estate mentioned in this clause to her daughter, Agnes L. Davidson, but if she should decease before her mother, then I give this portion of my estate, in equal parts, to my children, Richard R. Quay, Coral Quay and Susan W. Quay, or the survivor or survivors of them. In the event, however, that Louis R. Davidson should decease before Mary A. Davidson, or if at any time she should be divorced from him, then my executors shall pay over to her said portion, to be her and hers absolutely.

Ninth—I hereby make my son, Richard R. Quay, and the Union Trust Company of Pittsburgh the executors and trustees of and under this will. And I direct that said executors and trustees shall make no inventory and file no account of their executorship or trusteeship, but shall, upon reasonable demand, submit their accounts to the several legatees herein mentioned.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27th day of May, A. D. 1904. M. S. QUAY.

KNOX WILL REMAIN IN CABINET UNTIL JULY

Representative Dayton Said to Prefer Congress to the Navy Portfolio.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Attorney General Knox probably will remain in the cabinet until July. At the cabinet meeting today the retirement of the attorney general and the appointment of his successor, Secretary Moody, was discussed, and an arrangement was made by which Mr. Knox and Mr. Moody will remain in their present positions until the date named.

The fiscal year will come to an end June 30, and it is regarded advisable that the proposed changes be delayed until after the year's business at the departments had been closed up.

It is understood that meanwhile President Roosevelt will select the successor of Mr. Moody in the navy department, as Mr. Roosevelt now has several well-known Republicans under consideration. It was said today that Representative Dayton of West Virginia, whose appointment has been urged by the West Virginia senators, prefers his seat in the house to a cabinet place, and that he had so notified some of his friends. L. W. STRAYER.

DECISION IGNORED.

School Directors Seated at New Haven, Pa.—Teachers at Beaver Falls.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—Notwithstanding the opinion of Attorney General Carson that extra directors, elected at the last election, could not legally serve, the four additional members of the New Haven school board were seated last night. Attorney General Carson ruled that the law under which the additional school directors were elected was not applicable to Fayette county, but on the advice of Judge Robert E. Umbel the men were sworn in. The board organized by the election of Dr. R. X. McKee, president; Charles Hoop, secretary and the New Haven National bank as treasurer.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—The following teachers were elected at the meeting of the Beaver Falls school board: Messrs. J. F. Bower, A. Lester and G. G. Starr; Misses A. M. Elliott, B. Bayl, M. Seanor, E. Dunlap, A. Andres, M. Davidson, A. Arbuthnot, H. Newton, M. Lewis, M. Remley, B. Evans, A. C. Dunlap, M. Nair, F. C McGill, M. R. McKnight, G. Shoemaker, J. Elliott, M. Alcorn, J. Frazer, E. Sturgeon, A. Nair, P. McKee, B. Van Arsdale, O. B. Long, K. McFarland, M. Piper, B. Wilson, L. Littell, E. Baxter, E. Thomas and M. McGill.

Baptist Association Meets.

NEW CASTLE, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—A meeting in memory of the late Mrs. Elvena Jackson was held at the Hillsville Baptist church by the Beaver Baptist association. At the business session Mrs. Frank Jones was elected president; Mrs. C. W. Williams, vice president, and Miss Olive Davis, secretary and treasurer.

MORGAN UNLOADS BUSINESS CARES

Financier Gradually Withdrawing from Participation in Corporation Affairs.

ROCKEFELLER INTEREST GROWS

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, June 17.

J. Pierpont Morgan continues to withdraw from railway voting trusts as fast as the proper arrangements can be made. It is due to his expressed wish to be relieved from business cares of this description, and railroad properties which were reorganized by him are gradually being transferred from his personal domination back to the control of the individual stockholders. Two of the Morgan voting trusts have already been disbolved, viz., the Northern Pacific and the Erie, and now it is the Reading's turn.

The Reading voting trust is to be dissolved very soon. This was determined upon by the new board of directors of the Reading Company when they declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent on the first preferred stock, payable September 9. With the payment of this dividend the conditions under which the voting trust has controlled the Reading properties for about eight years, will have been fully compiled with. To be sure, there is a growing sentiment among railroad investors to give the shareholders direct control as in the case of the Erie voting trust, but no pressure of this kind has been brought to bear in the Reading road.

It is an open secret in Wall street that Mr. Morgan's withdrawal from the conspicuously dominating position that he has held in the railroad and industrial world for so long is due to the fact that he has become weary of shouldering all of the responsibility. Mr. Morgan has surrendered to date the control in the United States Steel Corporation, Northern Pacific, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Erie, Louisville & Nashville, Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville (Monon), Reading, Jersey Central and Lehigh Valley. The total capitalization of these corporations is $3,200,520,400.

The Rockefeller interest now dominates the great steel corporation, James J. Hill is practically the controlling force in Northern Pacific and Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, although E. H. Harriman is seeking to establish in the United States court the fact that he owns a clear majority of the Northern Pacific stock. Erie has been turned over to Harriman and his associates. The Louisville & Nashville, which J. P. Morgan & Co. bought in the open market in order to keep it out of the hands of John W. Gates, is now the property of the Atlantic Coast line. The Monon was sold to the Louisville & Nashville and the Southern jointly.

The Reading and Jersey Central are now largely under the influence of the Vanderbilts and the Pennsylvania railroad. A controlling interest in the Lehigh Valley, which Mr. Morgan purchased personally a few years ago, was distributed by him among the Vanderbilts, the Erie, the Lackawanna and the Reading interests. Although Mr. Morgan's relations with the Vanderbilts continue close and friendly, his former activities in the New York Central and Lake Shore boards have given way to the steadily increasing Rockefeller influence. ALEXANDER DODDS.

ALLEGHENIANS OFFICERS OF THE EPWORTH LEAGUE

Chosen at the District Convention in Beaver, Pa.—Proceedings of Meeting.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BEAVER FALLS, PA., June 17.—The second day's proceedings of the 14th annual convention of the Allegheny District Epworth league of the Methodist Episcopal conference in session here began this morning with a 6 o'clock prayer meeting, conducted by D. B. Duff of New Brighton. This was followed at 9:30 o'clock by departmental meetings. The missionary conference was conducted by Miss Bessie Brooks of Beaver and Miss Harriet Lemon of the Arch Street church, Allegheny. "Mercy and Help" was conducted by Mrs. Parker Gardner of Wilkinsburg, and "Social" by Robert L. Wickline of Sharpsburg. This afternoon's session was devoted principally to business.

These officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. A. Rosensteel; corresponding secretary, Miss Anna Thaw, North Avenue church, Allegheny; recording secretary, Miss L. E. Umstead, Perrysville Avenue church, Allegheny; treasurer, D. P. Wise, Simpson church, Allegheny; first vice president, F. N. Parker, Beilevue; second vice president, Miss Bessie H. Rooks, Beaver; third vice president, J. Dunham, Ninth Avenue church, Allegheny; fourth vice president, Robert L. Wickline, Sharpsburg; junior league superintendent, Miss Sydney Boyd, Union church, Allegheny; directors, the Rev. Dr. G. W. Terbush, Pittsburgh; the Rev. Dr. A. Hash, Beaver, and Charles Yahres, Braddock.

The reports of officers showed an increase in membership, a good financial standing and a greatly increased interest in missionary work, both home and foreign. A proposition was made that the four districts, Pittsburgh, Allegheny, Blairsville and Washington join in a missionary movement on the island of Java, as a special Epworth league field of the Pittsburgh conference. The proposition was adopted unanimously. Mrs. Annie E. Smiley of Springfield, Mass., gave an address and the convention came to an end this evening with an interesting address on missionary work by the Rev. Dr. W. R. Brewster of Hinghua, China.

BUNKER HILL REMEMBERED.

Citizens of Boston and Lynn Celebrate Anniversary of Revolutionary Struggle.

BOSTON, June 17.—The 129th anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill was celebrated today in this city, in Lynn, in other nearby places and in many New England cities. Business was suspended here, the stock exchange, banks and mercantile establishments having agreed to close for the day.

The feature of the celebration here was a military and civic parade. Next in point of interest was the dedication of a monument in Roxbury to Gen. Joseph Warren, the revolutionary leader who fell at Bunker Hill.

A monument to John Adam Dagyr, celebrated as the "Shoemaker of Essex," father of the shoe industry and also a revolutionary soldier, was unveiled at Lynn by Miss Frances Newhall, a school teacher and a descendant of Dagyr. A monument to Capt. William Farrington was unveiled by Mrs. Carrie Johnson Hollis and a tablet in memory of Private William Atwill was uncovered by Lewis H. Atwill.

Later in the day public dedicatory exercises were held in the First Congregational church, at which an address on revolutionary history in this section was given by United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge.

SANTOS-DUMONT IN NEW YORK WITH HIS AIRSHIP NO. 7

NEW YORK, June 17.—Santos-Dumont, who comes with his dirigible airship "No. 7" to compete for the prize in the airship contest at the St. Louis exposition, was one of the passengers on the steamer Savoie, whic arrived tonight from Havre. With him are Chapin, his chief engineer, and Gerome and Andre, assistant engineers. Santos-Dumont expects to make his first trip in July.

Liberal Candidate Won.

LONDON, June 17.—In the by-election in the Harboroubh division of Leicestershire today, caused by the resignation from the house of commons of John W. Logan, Liberal, the Hon. Philip James Standhope, Liberal, youngest son of Earl Standhope, was elected, receiving 7,843 votes against 6,110 cast for C. H. Dixon, the Conservative candidate.

Child Drowned in Creek.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., June 17.—Four-year-old Emma Huduk of Hubbard met her death this morning by falling into Furnace creek.

MEANS TO LIFT FALLEN HUMANITY

Cases of Criminals, Defectives, and Unfortunate Poor Discussed at Portland.

INTERESTING PAPERS ARE READ

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PORTLAND, ME., June 17.—The standing committee on "Defectives," of which Dr. Walter E. Fernald of Waverly, Mass., is chairman, was in charge of the general session of the National Conference of Charities and Correction, at the opening of today's meetings. The report of the committee on this section was followed by a paper on "The Genesis of the Defective," by Dr. George F. Keene of the state hospital for the insane at Howard, R. I. He said in part:

The most conscientious reformers have been led to attribute the increasing evils of social evolution to intemperance, dissipation and the marriage of the unfit. Already legislation has been initiated in many states tending toward the restriction of marriage, the timely control of the dissolute and assexualizaon of certain degenerates. Legislation without education is futile. Humanity must be perfected not so much by the process of pruning as by that of grafting. Let us believe, with Carlton, that "the possibility of improving the race depends on the power of increasing the productivity of its best stock."

Another paper was by Miss Lydia Gardiner Chace of Providence, R. I., whose topic was "Public School Classes for Mentally Deficient Children."

Section meetings on "Needy Families in Their Homes" and "Criminals," were also held, the principal paper being by William I. Nichols, general secretary of the bureau of charities, Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Nichols said in part:

In Brooklyn, where industrial agencies have been conducted by the bureau of charities for many years, it is a matter of common observation that the practice of begging from door to door has greatly decreased.

A more positive value of the industrial agencies is that of affording opportunity of supplying assistance to those who are found to be both needing and deserving it, in a manner which is adapted to preserve their self-respect and to encourage them to self-support. We have found that the value of the amount distributed in the form of material aid through our different industrial agencies equals and sometimes exceeds the total amount of contributions to the society. This means in effect that every dollar contributed to the society is placed in the pockets of persons who have been found to be in need of assistance and who have shown a willingness to do what they can to support themselves. This shows, also, how the small earning capacity of the applicant for assistance may be utilized.

From the point of view of the educational value of the woodyard, the amount that can be earned is of secondary importance, but we have found that the ordinary man earns from 50 cents to $1 a day. The larger part of the work is done, not by tramps, but by men who have families and for some reason have no employment elsewhere. The difference in the value and the moral effect upon the women of taking home a package of groceries after a day's work in the sewing room and of taking it home from a storeroom without having rendered any service is incalculable.

The general discussion was opened by C. M. Hubbard, general secretary of associated charities, Cincinnati. The Rev. Frederick H. Wines was chairman of the section meeting on "Criminals" and read a paper by Z. R. Brockway, formerly head of Elmira reformatory. His subject was "Mutual Relations of the Law and the Criminal." The desirable and possible changes in these relations were summarized by Mr. Brockway as follows:

First—From theism to civicism as the basis of the judicial system.

Second—From retribution to protection as its animating purpose.

Third—From expiation to reformation or restraint as the aim of improvement.

PIANO'S NOTES DEADEN SOUND OF RUSHING CAR

Susan Samuels, Dancing to Italian's Music, Run Down and Loses Her Hand.

While dancing around a street piano last evening Susan Samuels, 11-years old, was run down by a street car and her right hand was cut off. She is at the Mercy hospital in a critical condition.

The girl, who lives at 47 Van Braam street, had been following an Italian playing a street piano. In Forbes street, near her home, the children began dancing around the piano, and in the circles of the dance Susan went out into the street behind the piano. A Bloomfield car came along at a rapid rate, right past the crowd of children, and struck the girl, whose back was turned to the car. She was knocked down and the front truck passed over her, severing the right hand at the wrist and otherwise cutting and bruising her.

Policeman Frank Wickman picked up the child and, unmindful of the blood that stained his uniform, ran with her to the Mercy hospital in Stevenson street, several blocks away. The child lost much blood on the way, but the policeman dared not lose time to find out whether the doctors whose offices he passed were in, and nobody in the crowd thought of helping him.

DR. HAAS RECOVERING.

Pastor of Stricken St. Mark's Sends Message of Hope to His Suffering People.

NEW YORK, June 17.—(Special.)—Members of St. Mark's German Lutheran parish were relieved today by the announcement that their pastor, the Rev. George C. F. Haas, who has been on the verge of pneumonia and nervous prostration since the disaster to the Slocum, is now on the road to recovery.

"Thank God! We need him sorely," was the general comment when the sexton spread the news today.

"In a common loss we have a common hope. I wish I could be with you all, but I am stricken just as you are."

That was the brief and pathetic message the pastor issued to his flock today, after his physician felt he was sufficiently recovered to be allowed to learn the full extent of the disaster which has almost decimated his flock.

CHARTERS ARE GRANTED.

Governor Allows Applications of Freight Tunnel Companies in Both Cities.

Governor Pennypacker has issued charters for the Freight Tunnel Company of Pittsburgh and the Philadelphia Freight Tunnel Company which will build a series of tunnels under the streets of Pittsburgh and Philadelphia for the hauling of freight. The companies start with nominal capitals of $10,000, which will be increased as soon as it is fully organized on a sound basis and ready to begin business. The directors of the companies include Ralph B. Flinn and ex-Senator William Flinn and his attorney, ex-Senator John S. Weller of Pittsburgh.

The charter applications were filed some time ago and the governor was, in a general way, familiar with the purposes of the companies and the territory which they purpose to occupy.

SCHOOL TEACHER LOSES HER PUPILS

NEW YORK, June 17.—(Special.)—Miss Helen Goldstrum, a teacher in Public School No. 25, at 328 East Fifth street, had charge of a class of 20 girls and 6 boys Tuesday. After the Slocum disaster Miss Goldstrum started on a canvass of their homes and also visited the morgue and hospitals. Of the 20 little girls nearly all were gone, either dead or among the missing. Of the boys' class only one was lost.

Topping to Succeed Graham.

BRIDGEPORT, O., June 17.—President John A. Topping of the Le Belle Iron and Steel Company, has resigned to accept the presidency of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company, succeeding W. T. Graham, who has resigned to accept the presidency of the American Can Company.

KAUFMANN'S

"THE BIG STORE"

The very best grades of clothing Are in this sale from the stocks of

Hornthal, Benjamin & Reim, 24 E. 14th St., N. Y.

Isaac Hamburger & Sons, Baltimore and Howard Sts., Balt., Md.

THROUGH having purchased the entire surplus stocks of the above two prominent manufacturers—we can sell this very excellent clothing at prices that the commoner grades usually command. Large surplus holdings are converted into cash only through acceptance of losses—which losses "The Big Store" turns to your gain. The entire purchase has been divided into three price groups, as follows:

Values up to $12 for 6.60

The $6.60 group contains nobby single and double breasted sack suits, made of stylish worsteds, cassimeres and cheviots, in scores of patterns—mixtures, stripes, checks; also plain blue and black cheviots and serges. The coats are lined or half lined and are cut with broad shoulders and the natty small collar and lapels. The buttonholes are hand worked, the shoulders and lapels are hand padded. The suits are drafted on the same patterns as the better grades and accordingly are perfect as to fit.

Pants special—2,000 pairs of men's trousers of various materials—cut and made in good manner—worth $1.50 to $1.75, to go at **1.00**

Values up to $18 for 9.90

The suits at 9.90 are made of high-class materials in the season's most stylish patterns—fabrics such as are rarely seen outside of a custom tailor shop. In addition to fancy effects there are solid color weaves in tans and grays, besides plain blue and black serges and worsteds. These garments are lined, trimmed, fashioned and tailored in the very best manner—and favorably compare with the $20 to $25 garments of the average custom tailor. Choose from both single and double breasted sacks.

Pants special—1,800 pairs of men's trousers of very good quality worsteds, cassimeres and cheviots—worth $2.50 and $3.00, to go at **1.98**

Values up to $25 for 14.75

The 14.75 group comprehends the very finest ready-to-put-on garments manufactured. The materials embrace imported worsteds, bannockburns, cassimeres, serges and cheviots, the highest class of fabrics and the swellest patterns. Equal garments cannot be produced by custom tailors for less than $30 to $35. The most particular and notionate man can be suited in this line—no matter what his fancy dictates, for in all details the suits in this 14.75 group are perfect.

Pants special—1,200 pairs of men's best quality worsted, cassimere and cheviot trousers, in stylish patterns—worth $4 to $4.50, to go at **3.00**

Stirring reductions in boys' clothing

THE greater part of our own stock has been deeply cut in price. And then there are the special lots recently secured from Hecht & Co., New York, manufacturers of the famous "Regatta" wash suits—and the Manhattan Wash Suit Co., N. Y., which are MARKED AT FROM 33c TO 50c ON THE DOLLAR. We've never offered better buying chances in boys' clothing, and many is the sale that "The Big Store" has held.

Any boy's novelty suit in our stock, 5.00

Regardless of its former price—no matter if it were $7, $9, $10 or $12

The very finest sailor, Russian blouse, Buster Brown and button-to-neck Norfolk suits in our entire stock go at 5.00. And you know we handle the finest boys' clothing that's made. Plenty of single-breasted outing suits, double-breasted dress suits and Norfolk suits with plain or knickerbocker trousers, also go at 5.00.

Thousands of boys' suits that have been selling for $5, $6 and $7, go now at 3.00. Embraced are natty Buster Brown suits, Norfolk suits with bloomer or knickerbocker trousers, sailor suits and two-piece single and double breasted suits, all sizes 2½ to 16, reduced to **3.00**

Special—boys' fine imported galatea, crash and linen wash suits in Russian blouse, kilt and sailor styles—$2, $2.50 and $3 suits, at **1.50**

Special—large counter full of boys' Russian blouse, sailor and kilt suits, made of fast color washable materials—75c values at **50c**

We're selling numbers of high-class dress suits for Holy Communion and Confirmation wear every day. We're undisputed headquarters for this class of boys' attire and show by far the largest line—elegant three-piece short trouser styles with vest, equal to custom made, from $16.50 and down to **5.00**

Special—1,500 pairs of boys' well wearing cheviot and cassimere knee pants, good for vacation wear, today at only, pair, **28c**

Special—an underpriced purchase of boys' fine dress pants, made of all-wool materials with belt loops, sizes 3 to 16, at **48c**

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TRAVIS, CHAMPION GOLF PLAYER.

In Tomorrow's Gazette Will Appear an Article Telling How Travis, Who Beat the Crack British Players, Plays the Game.

THE PIRATES KEEP UP THEIR WINNING STREAK

GAME WAS SAVED BY DOUBLE PLAY

Pirates Were in a Tight Hole in Ninth Inning, but Fast Fielding Held the Victory.

M'FARLAND WAS BADLY HURT

The Pirates returned home yesterday morning from their successful eastern trip, and celebrated the event in the afternoon by taking the opening game of the series from the St. Louis Cardinals, 6 to 3, much to the delight of 6,190 lovers of the game who had gathered at the park to bid the boys welcome.

Patsy Flaherty, the Carnegie boy, who has become a Pirate since the team's invasion of the east, and who has two victories to his credit, was on the rubber for the champions, and he was given the glad hand, likewise a diamond stud by his friends from Carnegie. This happened just before the start of the game, and Patsy rewarded his admirers by pitching another winner, even though at times he had a very close call. This was true of the ninth inning, when he lost control, and for a time it looked as though the victory would be thrown away, but his teammates came to his rescue and wound up the game with a swift double play that ended the Cardinals' hopes.

The ninth was an awfully hard inning on the nerves of the spectators, particularly when the visitors had three men on bases with but one out and only three runs needed to tie the score. Things helped to muddle Burke by fumbling the grounder sent to him by Burke, and following that Flaherty took an aerial flight, and after passing two men to first hit another batter, thus forcing a run over the plate. Things certainly looked squally, and Manager Clarke sent another pitcher out to warm up, but Flaherty steadied down, and with the double play to help along, the danger line was passed. Up to the ninth Patsy had pitched fine ball, and, while he was hit hard at times, the hits were so well scattered that they could not be used as run producers.

The free hitting on the part of the visitors gave the Pirates plenty of work to do, and the result was about as many sensational plays as have ever been crowded into any one game. The fielding features were contributed by Bransfield, Leach, Wagner and Ritchey, each of whom cut loose a play that caused the spectators almost to go into raptures. Wagner's contribution was one of those plays for which he has become famous where he goes high into the air and pulls down a liner that looks good for a long hit and turns it into a double play. Leach's play was on a foul fly out in left field, and the one by Ritchey was the gathering in of a hot grounder headed for right field, and was the spoiling of a baseball sure enough. Bransfield was there with a foul fly catch that caused cheers.

McFarland, the young man who pitched his team to a mud victory over at the park on Decoration afternoon, was on the rubber for the Cardinals, and was pitching good ball, but in the fifth inning while at bat in attempting to get out of the way of one of Flaherty's fast benders, he ducked right into the ball, and the blow he received on the head just above the left ear could be distinctly heard all over the grounds. The player dropped right at the plate and was unconscious. He was carried to the clubhouse, where the club physician attended him and pronounced the injury a serious one that will keep the player out of the game for a week at least. McFarland's place was taken by Lefthander Dunleavy, who showed fair work. The blow suffered by McFarland was much like the one Kruger received last season, only it was not quite as severe. McFarland was unconscious for a full hour.

The Pirates did not do any run-getting until the third inning, when they gathered a couple of three as a result of good hitting and clever base running. With two out in the third, Leach singled and hit once stole second. Beaumont's grounder was fumbled by Shay, Clarke singled to left, scoring Leach, and Beaumont went to third on the hit. Wagner doubled to right, scoring both Beaumont and Clarke. Bransfield won the inning by going out to first base. In the fourth, with two out, Smith singled, took second on an error and scored on a single by Leach. In the seventh Clarke beat out an infield hit and scored with Wagner when the latter drove the ball to deep right for a home run.

Grady scored the Cardinals' first run in the second, when he tripled to right and tallied on McFarland's little single over second. In the eighth Farrell singled and got around on single by Beckley, Taylor, by Burke, Wise where the fans were on the anxious bench. Burke, the first batter, reached first on Ritchey's fumble of an easy grounder. Grady struck out but the next two batters drew bases on balls. Flaherty hit the next batsman, forcing Burke in with a run. There was but one out and the bases filled when Farrell hit to Ritchey, heading off Shannon at second, and Ritchey got the ball to Bransfield in time to retire Farrell, thus completing a fine double play and ending the game at a very ticklish spot. The score:

Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.	St. Louis	R.	H.	P.A.	E.
Leach, 2	1	2	2	2	0	Shay s	0	0	0	1	2
Beaumont m.	1	1	3	3	0	Shannon r	0	1	2	0	0
Clarke, 1	2	2	2	2	0	Farrell 2	1	2	2	2	1
Wagner s	1	2	2	3	0	Beckley l	0	1	4	3	0
Wilson l	0	0	1	0	0	Taylor c	0	0	3	1	0
Sebring r	0	1	2	0	0	Barclay 1	0	0	1	0	0
Ritchey 3	0	1	3	4	0	Burke m	0	0	1	1	0
Smith c	1	1	2	0	0	Grady c	0	1	1	6	2
Flaherty p	0	0	0	5	0	McFarl'd p	0	0	0	0	0
						Dunleavy p	0	0	1	2	0
						*Taylor	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	12	27	14	1	Totals	3	5	21	11	1

*Batted for Pittinger in ninth.

Philadelphia	2	1	0	5	0	3	0	0	1	1	—12
Boston	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hits—Raymer, Titus. Home run—Raymer. Sacrifice hits—Roth 2, Thomas 2, Selden, Bliss—Carnell. Double plays—Abbattichio and Tenney; Raymer, Abbattichio and Tenney. First base on balls—Off Mitchell 5, off Pittinger 7. Struck out—By Mitchell 6, by Pittinger 4. Hit by pitcher—Mitchell. Passed balls—Moran, Roth. Time—2:08. Umpires—Johnstone and Emslie.

Giants Beat Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, June 17.—In today's game at the Two Grounds New York defeated Brooklyn, Taylor shut out the visitors, easily outpitching Poole, and won his game 2 to 0. Poole received poor support in the field. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Sheckard 1.	0	0	2	2	0	0	Donahan m.	1	0	0	0	0
Lumley l.	0	0	1	1	0	0	Browne r.	1	2	1	0	0
Dillon l.	0	0	0	1	0	0	Devlin 3.	0	0	1	1	0
Jack'son 2.	0	2	1	1	2	0	McGann 1.	0	1	13	0	0
Dobbs s.	0	0	0	2	0	0	Mertes 1.	0	1	2	0	0
Gessler r.	0	0	3	0	0	1	Dahlen s.	0	0	2	4	0
McCork 3.	0	1	1	3	1	1	Gilbert 2.	0	0	0	0	1
Ritter c.	0	0	5	2	0	0	Bow'man c.	0	0	1	8	0
Poole p.	0	0	0	0	3	0	Taylor p.	0	0	0	0	2
Totals.	0	0	4	24	11	4	Totals.	2	5	27	15	1

Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
New York	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hit—McCormick. Sacrifice hits—Devlin 2, Taylor, Bresnahan. Stolen bases—Gilbert 2, McGann, Mertes, Jacklitsch. First base on balls—Off Taylor 1, off Poole 4. First base on errors—New York 4, Brooklyn 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Poole 1. Struck out—By Taylor 13, by Poole 1. Time—1:35. Umpire—Zimmer. Attendance—8,500.

SWORE ON THE FIELD.

Catcher Zalusky Cost Altoona Team the Game at Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—Just before the beginning of the game today players were warned against using indecent language on the field. Zalusky, the Altoona catcher, violated the rule and was ordered from the grounds. He refused to go and the umpire awarded the game to Johnstown 9 to 0. This was the first of a series for the inter-city championship. Score.

J'stown.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Altoona.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Vought 3.	0	1	0	0	0	1	Fisher 2.	1	2	3	3	0
West 1.	1	0	2	1	0	0	Hinton 3.	0	0	2	0	0
Sapp 2.	0	0	1	2	1	0	Davis l.	0	0	0	0	0
Morgan m.	1	2	2	0	0	0	Smith s.	0	0	1	1	0
Sandherr.	0	0	5	5	0	0	Rislng m.	0	0	1	0	0
Owens r.	0	0	0	0	1	0	Zalusky c.	0	2	5	1	0
Meanfee.	1	0	0	5	2	0	Scudder l.	0	0	7	1	0
Murphy c.	0	0	0	2	2	0	Herwis r.	0	0	1	0	0
Killien p.	0	0	0	1	2	1	Vell p.	0	0	1	5	1
Totals.	3	4	10	24	13	4	Totals.	1	3	24	13	4

Johnstown	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	*—1
Altoona	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two-base hits—Morgan, Vought, Zalusky. Sacrifice hits—West, Sandherr, Murphy, Hinton 3. Stolen bases—Meanfee, Sandherr. Double plays—Sandherr and Meanfee; Sapp, Sandherr and Meanfee; Sapp, Meanfee and Sandherr; Veil, Smith and Scudder. Bases on balls—Fisher, Vought, Menefee. Hit by pitched ball—Scudder. Struck out—Vought 2, Sapp 2, Sandherr, Killen, Hinton, Zalusky. Time—1:20. Umpire—Wilson.

INTERSCHOLASTICS BEATEN.

Outslugged Warren Team, but Were Short on Runs.

WARREN, O., June 17.—(Special.)—Warren defeated the Interscholastics of Pittsburgh here today by 13 to 11. The game was a slugging match on both sides, the Pittsburgh lads getting 15 and Warren 13 hits. Sibbick, for Warren, went into the air in the second and was replaced by Wisner. Score:

Warren.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Inter.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Badel l.	4	2	1	0	0	Spuhler l.	1	1	10	1	3
Etchler 2.	1	0	2	4	0	Price s.	1	2	0	3	2
Sasse m.	2	2	2	0	0	St. Clair s.	0	2	4	4	1
Base l.	2	2	1	0	0	Upgrad'f m.	2	0	1	0	0
Breen s.	2	2	2	4	2	M'Gregor 3.	1	1	2	0	0
Nippert c.	1	1	12	0	0	Moffatt 2.	1	1	2	3	1
Brown 3.	0	2	1	1	3	M'Cr'ken 1.	2	2	2	0	1
Lukas r.	1	1	0	0	1	Welch r.	2	2	1	0	1
Sibbick p.	0	0	0	1	0	Shultz p.	2	2	0	1	0
Wisner p.	2	2	0	0	0						
Totals.	15	13	27	11	6	Totals.	11	15	24	13	9

Warren	5	4	2	0	1	1	1	3	*—15
Interscholastics	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	6	—11

Two-base hits—McCracken, Welch, Breen, Sasse. Three-base hit—Price. Home runs—Welch, Wisner, Badel. Bases on balls—Off Shultz 3, off Sibbick 1, off Welch 1, off Wisner 10, by Shultz 7. Left on bases—Warren, 6; Interscholastics 6. Double plays—Eichler, Breen and Haas; Breen, Eichler and Haas; Interscholastics 2. Hit by pitched ball—St. Clair 2. Hit by pitched ball—Eichler. Umpire—Bannon. Time—1:45.

CONEY ISLAND HANDICAP CAPTURED BY LONG SHOT

Lady Uncas, an Added Starter at 30-to-1 in the Books, Proved to Be the Good Thing.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 17.—Lady Uncas, an added starter, won the Coney Island handicap, six furlongs, at Sheepshead Bay today. She was quoted at 30 to 1 and won by a short head. The time, 1:13 4-5, was good, considering the condition of the track, which was fast. Lady Amelia made the pace for a mile, when Lady Uncas and Lady Uncas to the front and won. St. Bellane won the Daisy stakes by a head from the favorite, Diamond. Jockey Cochran was suspended for one week by the stewards for hitting Redfern with his whip while at the post for the first race.

R. R. Thomas, owner of Hermis, today gave Arthur Redfern two $1,000 bills for winning the Suburban yesterday. Summaries:

First race, last 5 furlongs of Futurity course—Right Royal, 122, O'Neil, 7 to 10 and 1 to 3, won; Phoebus, 115, Martin, 40 to 1 and 8 to 1, second; Golden Sunrise, 115, Cochran, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 2-5. Rochello, Aeronaut and Wild Irishman also ran.

Second race, 6½ furlongs on main track—Mercury, 100, Hildebrand, 7 to 2 and out, won; Lady Diadonna, 107, Martin, 5 to 1 and 2 to 5 to 1, second; Aurumaster, 100, Higgins, 15 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:20 4-5. Commonetta, Catalline, Tyron, The Cub, Belle of Portland, Patsgonian, Bouvier and Pond Lily also ran.

Third race, the Daisy stakes, 5 furlongs on the turf—St. Bellane, 114, Phillips, 4 to 1 and even, won; Diamond, 117, Martin, 2 to 5 and 1 to 3, second; *Niblick, 119, Redfern, 4 to 1 and even, third. Time, 1:01¾. Gamara, Agile and Pasadena also ran.

Fourth race, the Coney Island handicap, 6 furlongs, main track—Lady Uncas, 96, Kunz, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1, won; Broomstick, 116, Burns, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Ingold, 100, Higgins, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:13 4-5. Divination, Hurst Park, Lady Amelia, New York, Witchcraft, River Pirate, Chuter, Salvatella, Orthodox, Stalwart, Gold Saint and Magistrate also ran.

Fifth race, handicap, mile and a furlong—Audience, 111, Phillips, 6 to 2 and 2 to 5, won; Brigand, 95, Hildebrand, 4 to 1 and even, second; Colonsay, 96, D. O'Connor, 7 to 1 and 7 to 5, third. Time, 1:54 1-5. Little Em also ran.

Sixth race, selling, 1 1-16 miles on turf—Hyland, 108, Martin, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Ben MacDhui, 108, Redfern, 7 to 2 and 3 to 5, second; Silver Days, 96, Cochran, 15 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 3-5. Pan Lougin, St. Gallen, Glisten, Allan, Ontas, Brooklynite, Sals, Durazzo, Killitea and Bardolph also ran.

*Coupled. †Added starter.

Waynesburg Shut Wash.-Jeff. Out.

WAYNESBURG, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—In the last game of the season Waynesburg college gave W. and J. a shutout today 7 to 0. Patton pitched a very strong game, letting the visitors only three hits and permitting only two men to get on base after the third inning. Eckles, though a trifle wild, pitched good ball, but received ragged support. The locals, after today's game, feel that they are entitled to the championship of Western Pennsylvania and Virginia. Score:

Wsburg.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	W. & J.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Demoss 3.	1	0	1	1	1	Maldoon 2.	0	1	1	1	3
Ingham 1.	2	2	0	0	0	Eckles p.	0	0	0	3	1
Kenney 2.	0	0	0	4	0	Welty c.	0	0	11	6	1
Flowers l.	0	1	2	1	0	Rigely m.	0	0	4	0	0
Fenton r.	0	0	2	3	1	Miller 3.	0	1	3	2	0
Sellers s.	1	1	3	4	0	Sp'ger l.	0	1	4	0	1
Girard m.	1	1	3	0	0	Ferguson s.	0	0	6	2	1
Montg'y c.	1	1	7	1	0	Smith l.	0	0	1	2	0
Smith r.	1	0	1	0	0	Forsythe r.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	7	5	27	14	3	Totals.	0	5	24	9	6

Waynesburg	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	*—7
W. and J.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hit—Ingham. Home run—Ingham. Sacrifice hit—Smith. Stolen bases—Demoss, Kenney, Flowers, Sellers. Hit by pitched ball—DeMoss, Girard, Montgomery. Bases on balls—Ferguson, Forsythe, DeMoss, Ingham, Kenney, Patton. Struck out—By Patton 4, by Eckles 5. Wild pitch—Eckles. Umpire—Gordon.

TOURNEY DOWN TO SEMI-FINALS

Struggle for Honors on the Links Intensifies and Climaxes Today.

BIG HANDICAP CLOSES EVENT

B. S. Horne furnished the surprise yesterday in the Allegheny Country club tournament by disposing of W. C. Fownes, Jr., in the first round of match play, and for the first time in local tournaments all the Fownes retired in this same round. They have always heretofore been factors to the end. The tournament was brought down on its second day to the semi-finals, which will be played today, as well as the finals and handicap all at 18 holes.

The survivors are: In the first 16, Horne, Fredericks, A. K. Oliver and Ormiston; second 16, Giles, Frew, W. G. Allen and Pollock; consolation 12, M. A. Preston, McSweeny and W. H. Duff.

The day was ideal and the greens keen and velvety. W. C. Fownes Jr.'s overthrow came during the homeward journey, when Horne, taking advantage of the perfect golfing conditions, displayed amazing speed on the greens, capturing five holes of the eight played, having 31, with a probable 35, which is 3½ under bogey figures.

Another match which created much enthusiasm was between A. K. Oliver and A. W. Tillinghast, the Philadelphia expert. They had to go to the twentieth hole before the local man won out.

Dr. Fredericks again reduced the record of the course, 76, made by him the day previous, to 75, or four below bogey figures. J. Pollock, Jr., the youngest player in the tournament, has pleased his Wheeling friends by his good showing, as he has reached the semi-finals in the second sixteen.

The medal score of B. S. Horne and W. C. Fownes, Jr., which furnished the sensational round of the day, were as follows:

Horne—										
Out	4	6	4	4	3	5	6	3	4	5—43
In	3	4	3	3	5	5	4	4		—31
Fownes—										
Out	5	4	4	5	4	5	3	4	5	—39
In	4	5	4	4	5	4	4	5		—35

The medal scores of semi-finalists in their second rounds were:

Horne—										
Out	4	4	4	4	6	5	5	4	4	5—41
In	5	4	4	3	6	4	4			—30
C. C. Preston—										
Out	5	5	4	5	5	5	5	3	4	6—43
In	4	5	4	4	5	4	4	5		—35
Fredericks—										
Out	4	4	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	4—39
In	4	4	5	3	5	4	4	4	5	5—39
J. D. Duff—										
Out	4	6	3	5	5	6	5	5	4	5—42
In	4	4	4	3	6	4	5	5	4	4—39
A. K. Oliver—										
Out	4	5	4	5	4	5	5	4	3	3—39
In	5	4	4	2	6	4	5	5	4	4—39
Extra holes, 5 4.										
Tillinghast—										
Out	6	5	3	5	4	5	3	4	4	4—39
In	4	5	4	3	5	5	4	5	4	4—39
Extra holes, 6 5.										
Ormiston—										
Out	5	4	4	5	6	4	4	4	4	4—40
In	4	4	4	3	5					—20
Porter—										
Out	5	5	5	5	4	5	4	5	5	5—43
In	5	4	3	6						—23

Match play rounds, first 16:

H. S. Horne, W. C. Fownes, Jr., O. D. Thompson, C. C. Preston,	2 up, 1 to play. Preston, 1 up.	Horne, 4 up, 2 to go.
J. C. Oliver, D. P. Fredericks, J. D. Duff, David Baxter,	3 up, 2 to play. Duff, 6 up, 5 to play.	Fredericks, 4 up, 2 to go.
A. W. Tillinghast, G. Z. Bates, A. K. Oliver, J. O'H. Denny,	Oliver, 5 up, 4 to play.	Oliver, 1 up, 20 holes.
R. P. Nevin, Jr., G. A. Ormiston, H. C. Fownes, J. E. Porter,	Ormiston, 3 up, 1 to play. Porter, 6 up, 5 to play.	Ormiston, 5 up, 4 to go.

Match play rounds, second 16:

E. B. Giles, H. P. Sumner, B. M. Hildreth, A. W. Black,	Giles, 2 up, 1 to play. Hildreth, 5 up, 4 to play.	Giles, 7 up, 6 to go.
W. C. Fownes, C. I. Shannon, E. A. Hildreth, William Frew,	Shannon, 3 up, 1 to play. Frew, 3 up, 2 to play.	Frew, 6 up, 5 to go.
J. C. Thaw, W. G. Allen, H. D. McCandless, M. B. Ritchie,	Allen, 3 up, 1 to go. McCandless, 2 up, 1 to go.	Allen, 1 up, 19 holes.
A. W. Treadwell, T. L. Ashcom, C. F. Foxton, J. Pollock, Jr.,	Ashcom, 4 up, 3 to go. Pollock, 4 up, 3 to go.	Pollock, 4 up, 3 to go.

Match play rounds, consolation 12:

M. A. Preston, C. B. Raymond, B. H. Evans, E. R. Behrens,	Preston, 8 up, 6 to go. Evans, 3 up, 2 to go.	Preston, 2 up.
A. H. Noah, R. P. Lane, H. McSweeny, C. F. Paxton,	Noah, 3 up, 2 to go. McSweeny, 3 up, 2 to go.	McSweeny, 7 up, 6 to go.
G. G. Allen, W. H. Duff II., B. S. McClure, J. K. Hall,	Duff, 6 up, 5 to go. McClure, 3 up, 2 to go.	Duff, 8 up, 7 to go.

Preston drew a bye and McSweeney plays Duff in third round.

RUBE WADDELL IN FRONT AGAIN

This Time the Detroit Team Was His Victim and a Shutout Was Narrowly Averted.

NINE MEN STRUCK OUT

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia	7	Detroit	1
Cleveland	10	Washington	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	32	17	.653	Philadelphia	26	22	.551
Chicago	29	21	.580	St. Louis	22	23	.489
New York	27	20	.574	Detroit	21	28	.429
Cleveland	25	21	.543	Washington	9	37	.196

AMERICAN GAMES TODAY.

Boston at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
Washington at Cleveland.
New York at St. Louis.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DETROIT, June 17.—A holiday crowd of 5,000 saw Waddell defeat the locals today, and all but shut them out. He showed great form and struck out nine batters. Killian was easy for the Philadelphias, Davis and L. Cross dividing batting honors. The fielding and batting of Waddell were also features. Attendance 5,000. Score:

Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Barrett m.	0	1	2	0	0	Hartsel l.	1	1	0	1	0
M'Intyre l.	0	1	4	1	0	Hoffman m.	1	1	1	0	0
Lowe 2.	0	0	2	4	0	Davis l.	1	3	10	0	0
Craw'f'd r.	0	2	2	0	0	Duff,	0	0	2	3	0
Carr 1.	0	1	2	10	2	0	Seybold r.	0	0	3	1	0
Grem'er 3.	0	1	1	0	1	Mullin 2.	0	0	2	0	4	0
Buelow c.	0	0	3	0	0	Schreck c.	1	0	10	0	0
Killian p.	0	0	0	1	6	0	Waddell p.	0	0	2	0	4	0
O'Leary s.	0	1	2	2	0	M. Cross s.	1	1	2	2	0
*Robinson	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals.	1	8	27	15	1	Totals.	7	12	27	12	1

*Batted for Killian in ninth.

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1
Philadelphia	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	*—7

Two-base hits—Carr, Greenunger, L. Cross, Davis, Waddell. Three-base hits—Davis, Hoffman. Sacrifice hits—Seybold 2, Schreck. Bases on balls—Off Killian 2. Struck out—By Waddell 9, by Killian 1. Double plays—McIntyre, O'Leary and Lowe; Seybold and Schreck. Earned runs—Detroit 1, Philadelphia 4. Time—1:40. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Kling.

Cleveland 10—Washington 2.

CLEVELAND, June 17.—Washington was unable to hit Moore and Cleveland won easily, a wild pitch and Flick's error giving the visitors their only run. Cleveland batted Patten hard. Score:

Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Flick r.	1	1	0	0	2	Cassidy 3.	1	0	3	4	1
Bradley 3.	2	2	1	6	0	Donavan r.	0	1	3	1	0
Lajoie s.	2	2	3	0	0	Moran s.	0	1	1	2	0
Hickm'n 2.	2	2	3	3	0	Selbach l.	0	0	1	0	0
Lush l.	1	1	3	0	0	McCor'k 1.	1	1	9	0	0
Bay m.	0	0	3	0	0	Stahl m.	0	0	0	0	0
Bemis 1.	1	2	8	0	0	Clarke 1.	0	0	0	0	0
Abbott c.	0	2	9	0	1	Drill c.	0	0	4	0	0
Moore p.	0	1	0	0	0	Patten, p.	0	0	0	0	0
						*Orth	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	10	13	27	6	3	Totals.	2	3	24	12	2

Cleveland	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	*—10
Washington	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2

Two-base hits—Lajoie, Moran. Sacrifice hits—Abbott, Donovan. Stolen bases—Lajoie, Hickman. First base on balls—Off Moore 2, off Patten 3. Hit by pitched ball—By Moore 2, by Patten 1. Struck out—By Moore 7, by Patten 2. Wild pitch—Moore 1. Time—1:50. Umpires—Sheridan and Carpenter. Attendance—2,105.

Among the Amateurs.

The Marshall A. C. will play the Rankin A. C.

The Banksville A. C. defeated the Connell A. C. 7 to 5.

The Hillside A. C. defeated the Ridgewood A. C. 8 to 6.

Bridgeville will play at home against the Monaco bunch.

Glenshaw and Glenwood will meet at Wittmer park today.

The Colonials will play the Verona A. C. at Verona today.

The Oakmont Midgets play the W. R. Robinsons today at Oakmont.

Pittsburgh college plays Pittsburgh lyceum on the Bluff grounds today.

The Victoria A. C. plays the Castle Shannon Juniors at Castle Shannon today.

The Herron Hill Third team play the Armstrong A. C. of West Pittsburgh.

The Lawrenceville Reserves will play the Mt. Oliver Reserves at Schenley park.

The Rose A. C. will play the Gola A. C. of Sharpsburg on the latter's grounds.

The Mayflowers will play the Hazelwood Library today on the Mayflower's grounds.

Nunnery Hill A. C. vs. Wabash A. C. on Nunnery Hill grounds. Game called at 4 p. m.

The Goehrings will play on Cabinet grounds. Players report at Wood and Liberty at 2:30 o'clock.

The Rankin A. C. will play the Marshall A. C. on the West End today on the Denny grounds.

Lawrenceville will go to Brackenridge today. All players report at Union station at 1 o'clock sharp.

The Shaner A. C. vs. McDonald A. C. at McDonald. Battery for Shaner will be Mulhern and Spahr.

Notice is given that all games arranged with the Armstrong A. C. of Crafton are to be considered canceled.

The Iroquois will play its annual game with St. Vincent college. The players are requested to report.

The Nuttall Athletics will play Barnesville at Barnesville, O. Batteries—Luther and Maxwell; Colcolough and Berger.

The Nationals of Allegheny will play at Ellsetth. Nationals will report at P. & L. E. station at 12:30 sharp.

The Signal A. C. plays the Sheraden team today at Sheraden. All players to be at the Union depot at 2:15, city time.

The Homewood shop team of the Pittsburgh Railways Company defeated the auditing department in Homewood, 6 to 5.

The Jones A. C. will play at North Homestead. All Jones players report at Grant and Diamond streets at 1:30 o'clock.

Oakland plays West Etna today on the McKee Place grounds. Denmler will be on the rubber with Brown as a substitute.

A good third baseman would like to catch on with some good 4 or 5-year-old teams. Address Phillip Kronberg, Box 85, city.

Manager of the Casino A. C. of East Pittsburgh kindly note that the T. B. Rogers wish to cancel what your team for July 16.

The Allentown team will play at Moon Run today, and all players must meet at the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie depot at 1:30 sharp.

Ingram and Beaver A. C. will come together at Ingram today. Bert Eckel and Quinn or Campbell will be the battery for Ingram.

The A. H. Leslies will play the Minersville Crescents today on the Leslies' grounds. The batteries for Leslies will be Blair and Walsh.

Owing to cancellation the Oakdale A. C. is without a game today. Any strong club can get the game by calling Bell 'phone 15, Oakdale.

The manager of the Jefferson A. C. is requested to call up 615 Court, Bell 'phone, and ask for Gordon, between 7:30 and 8 a. m.

The Manhattan Midgets would like to arrange games with all 9 and 10-year-old teams. Address Wilson Ross, 1900 Carson street, city.

The Fairhaven Oaks play Swissvale team at Swissvale today. All players are requested to report at the Union station not later than 1:35 p. m.

The Osbornes will cross bats with the Elliott team this afternoon on the formers' grounds. The battery for the Osbornes, Burnside and Nisbitt.

The Cabinet A. C. will line up against the Geehring A. C. this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Goff and Hinkel will do the battery work for Cabinet.

Manchester will play at Idlewood this afternoon. All players are requested to report at the corner of Water and Smithfield streets at 1:15 p. m.

The Acorns are without a game for today. Any strong team having open dates can secure a game by calling up 4201 M. P and A., and asking for Hines.

Holy City players Canonsburg at Canonsburg. All Holy City players report at Wilkinsburg Casino at 1:15 sharp. Special request for Getzig to report.

The Acorns whitewashed the Mobile A. C.

SOCIETY

MRS. WYNN R. SEWELL returned a few days ago from Europe, where she has been since last February. Miss Mary Park, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Park's daughter, accompanied Mrs. Sewell when she crossed the ocean last spring out she returned in April. Mrs. Sewell has since been traveling in France and Germany and has come home now to spend a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Watson, in Lincoln avenue, Allegheny, before opening her summer home in York Harbor, Me. Miss Elizabeth Howe of Ridge avenue, Allegheny, will join Mrs. Sewell for the summer early next month, leaving the city about July 9.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nimick Murray have taken the Seely house in Beechwood boulevard, Squirrel Hill, for the summer and will remain there until their return to Lochgreen in Beaufort, S. C., in November. "Bungalow" is the characteristic name which has been bestowed upon their place.

Among those who deserted their city home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Hilliard of Penn avenue, Point Breeze, who are now occupying their summer home in Beaumaris, Canada. Mrs. Reuben Miller of Fifth avenue is also in Beaumaris, where she will be joined next week by two daughters, Miss Louis Miller and Miss Ruth Miller, who are still in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield K. Shiras will leave in about 10 days for Port Hope, Ont., where they will occupy the cottage formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Childs. Mrs. Shiras' parents, who also have a house in Port Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Childs have postponed their trip to St. Johns, which they were to have taken this month, until fall. Miss Starling Winston Childs is now in Lynn, Mass., her former home, where she will be joined next week by Mr. Childs.

Will Spend Sunday at Ingleside.

Miss Grace Watson Aull and her fiance, Paul Arthur Sorg, will entertain the members of their bridal party at Ingleside golf links, over Sunday. The farm is owned by Capt. Hall Patton, Maj. William Ferris Aull, and is a beautiful place on the banks of the Allegheny. The party will be chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. John Albert Aull and Mr. and Mrs. Turner Martin.

Miss Aull will give her bridesmaids' dinner this evening at her home. Mr. Sorg giving his bachelor dinner at the Schenley at the same time. Miss Margaret Chalfant, one of the bridesmaids, was hostess at a charming little luncheon yesterday, ten guests including the girls who will be in the bridal train. White sweet peas formed the decorations and corsage bouquets of the flowers were at each place. The bridesmaids as they will be on the night of the wedding, each guest receiving her costume yesterday.

Miss Aull again shared the honors with Miss Jeannette Nicholson at the dance given in the new Bellefield club last evening by Miss Nellie Hay at her home, 3702 Dithridge street. The affair was very informal, 120 invitations having been issued over the telephone. The ball room of the club was prettily decorated with palms, Japanese lanterns forming the side lights. Miss Hay, the two guests of honor, and Mr. and Mrs. James Hay and Mrs. William J. Langenheim received together. Hay Langenheim, a young nephew of the hostess, distributed the dance cards. The wedding of Miss Nellie Olson and J. Raymond Price, on June 28, Mr. and Mrs. Hay and Miss Hay will go to Canadian Springs for a week's stay at the Hotel Isher.

Dewalt-Yohe.

MONONGAHELA, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—One of the prettiest weddings of the season was that of Miss Blanche Dewalt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dewalt, and Dr. E. J. Yohe, at the home of the bride's parents, 1 Fourth street. The house was decorated in white, pink and green, and amid palms, ferns and orange blossoms the ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. S. Rose, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church. The bride wore a bead satin wedding gown trimmed with lace. The bridesmaids, Miss Margaret Rahe and Miss Blanche Baker, were gowned in white French muslin. Dr. Yohe was attended by Councilman James S. Crail and City Clerk C. Harry Vandefelt. Mrs. Rose Kuhnman was matron of honor. The ribbon-bearers were the Misses Gladys Dewalt and Lois Sampson. After the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Yohe left for Pittsburgh. They will visit the St. Louis exposition and later make a tour of the east. The out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Irwin, Homestead; Mrs. John Stadleman, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Knapp and Charles M. Laggart, Pittsburgh; Miss Blanche Baker and John W. Mullin, Donora; Miss Helen Haines, New Castle; Mrs. George Kidd, Bentleyville; Mrs. Edward C. Kuhlmen, Van Buren, O.; Mr. and Mrs. John Yohe, Ingram; Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Walker and Miss Walker, Washington, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. William Yohe, New Kensington.

Tom Thumb Wedding.

Nearly 700 people witnessed the quaint Tom Thumb wedding ceremony yesterday afternoon on the lawn of Mrs. A. Gordon's home in Oakview avenue, Edgewood park, the entertainment taking place in front of an old-fashioned blockhouse. Little Dot Brown represented the bride, Gordon Simpson the bridegroom; June Miller, the maid of honor; J. Bolton, best man, and Malcolm Fornerook, the officiating clergyman. Miss Margaret Schroeder was the minister's wife. There were bridesmaids, flower girls, ribbon bearers, ushers and guests to the total number of 90, all ranging from 7 to 10 years of age. Music was furnished by the band of Company N of the Boys' brigade. After the nuptial ceremony a supper and reception were given on the lawn, the bridal party sitting at a separate table. There were 12 tables altogether. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Missionary society of the Edgewood Presbyterian church and was in charge of the following committee: Mrs. A. Gordon, Mrs. Max Lilly, Mrs. Schmidt, Miss Minnie Coursin, Miss Belle Coleman and Miss Anna Williamson.

Pretty Affair in Oakmont.

One of the most beautiful affairs ever given in Oakmont was the fancy work and euchre at which Mrs. A. William Campbell was hostess yesterday afternoon. The entertainment was also in the nature of a house-warming for Mr. and Mrs. Campbell in their new home, which they have been occupying for only a year. The decorations were carried out in pink and white, and had all the charm and simplicity that characterized the entire function and arrangement. The card tables, at which six-hand euchre was played, were in the house, and each room was filled with the fragrance of sweet peas and roses. In the spacious old-fashioned fireplace, which is a feature of the drawing room, was massed with roses and peonies. The guests, who were entertained with fancy work, were seated on the porch. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. Clarence F. Tiers, Mrs. Charles James Crumbie and Mrs. Webb of Allegheny.

Baskets of Rice for Favors.

At the dinner which Mr and Mrs. Edwin Baillie gave last evening at their home in Atlantic avenue the favors were tiny baskets of rice. The guests of honor were their daughter, Miss Nell Baillie Burchinal, whose wedding will take place today. Covers were laid only for the members of the wedding party. The centerpiece was of pink and white sweet peas, Miss Baillie being to her maid of honor an exquisite little pearl pendant and to each bridesmaid a gold pin set with baroque pearls. Burchinal's gifts to the ushers were leather card cases, while the best man received a pearl stick pin. The rehearsal for the wedding took place after the dinner, which was served at 8:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Brenneman's Bridge Whist.

A porch bridge party was the pleasant medium through which Mrs. Louis A. Brenneman entertained a large number of her friends at the Country club yesterday afternoon. The guests were asked to meet Mrs. Louis K. Hyde at the club house, Oakland, P. O., and the prizes for the game were awarded Mrs. Talbot B. Chantler. Mrs. W. H. Donner and Mrs. John P. Knable. The Columbia verandas of the new clubhouse were decorated with palms and immense clusters of gladiolas, the flowers also adorning the small tables on which the refreshments were served. There were 24 guests.

There were nine bridesmaids, flower girls, ribbon bearers, ushers and guests to the total number of 90, all ranging from 7 to 10 years of age. Music was furnished by the band of Company N of the Boys' brigade. After the nuptial ceremony a supper and reception were given on the lawn, the bridal party sitting at a separate table. There were 12 tables altogether. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Missionary society of the Edgewood Presbyterian church and was in charge of the following committee: Mrs. A. Gordon, Mrs. Max Lilly, Mrs. Schmidt, Miss Minnie Coursin, Miss Belle Coleman and Miss Anna Williamson.

Pretty Affair in Oakmont.

One of the most beautiful affairs ever given in Oakmont was the fancy work and euchre at which Mrs. A. William Campbell was hostess yesterday afternoon. The entertainment was also in the nature of a house-warming for Mr. and Mrs. Campbell in their new home, which they have been occupying for only a year. The decorations were carried out in pink and white, and had all the charm and simplicity that characterized the entire function and arrangement. The card tables, at which six-hand euchre was played, were in the house, and each room was filled with the fragrance of sweet peas and roses. In the spacious old-fashioned fireplace, which is a feature of the drawing room, was massed with roses and peonies. The guests, who were entertained with fancy work, were seated on the porch. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. Clarence F. Tiers, Mrs. Charles James Crumbie and Mrs. Webb of Allegheny.

Baskets of Rice for Favors.

At the dinner which Mr and Mrs. Edwin Baillie gave last evening at their home in Atlantic avenue the favors were tiny baskets of rice. The guests of honor were their daughter, Miss Nell Baillie Burchinal, whose wedding will take place today. Covers were laid only for the members of the wedding party. The centerpiece was of pink and white sweet peas, Miss Baillie being to her maid of honor an exquisite little pearl pendant and to each bridesmaid a gold pin set with baroque pearls. Burchinal's gifts to the ushers were leather card cases, while the best man received a pearl stick pin. The rehearsal for the wedding took place after the dinner, which was served at 8:30 o'clock.

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Reception in Glen Osborne.

Mrs. Henry A. Davis of Glen Osborne gave a reception yesterday afternoon in honor of a recent bride, Mrs. John Wilson Way of Edgeworth. Miss Helen Davis and her house guest, Miss Carrie Knox of Anniston, Ala., also received with the hostess. The assistants included Mrs. Edward A. Woods, Mrs. Robert Wardrop, Mrs. Charles McKnight, Mrs. T. W. Nevin, Mrs. Thomas McCleary, Mrs. Frank Stoner, Mrs. Richard Wenahall, Mrs. Frank McCleary, Mrs. Eva Storer, Miss Helen Campbell and Miss Anna Wallace. Elaborate decorations of roses, yellow daisies, palms and ferns were used.

Reception for New Daughter-in-Law.

Mrs. Clara Willson Banks of Graham and Kinnaid streets, East End, will entertain on Tuesday in honor of her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Louis Layton Banks, who was Miss Laura Shrom before her marriage a few weeks ago. Mrs. Banks will be assisted by Dr. Laura Shrom, Mrs. James L. Black, Mrs. George Provost and Miss Mary Alice Shrom.

Sewickley Children's Party.

Mrs. William Parry of Thorn street, Sewickley, entertained yesterday for her two little children, Georgia and Elizabeth Parry. About 40 children were present. Assisting Mrs. Parry were Mrs. Dewitt B. Nettleton, Miss Jessie Harbison, Mrs. Catherine Walcott, Miss Dora Brown, Miss Alice Brown, Miss Frances Whitney and Miss Edith Tener.

New York Girl Visiting Miss Reed.

Miss Marion Tillotson of New York is the house guest of Miss Katherine Reed of Amberson avenue, Miss Tillotson accompanied Miss Reed and her mother, Mrs. James Hay Reed, on their return from Princeton on Thursday evening. She is a sister of Miss Grace Tillotson, who is visiting Miss Reed, after the Christmas holidays and whose engagement to Harold Pitcairn Childs, formerly of Pittsburgh, was announced last winter.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Nuttall of Emsworth announce the engagement of their only daughter, Miss Eleanor May Nuttall, and Samuel Boyd Cummings of Allegheny, formerly of Cadiz, O. The date of the wedding has not yet been definitely upon. Both Miss Nuttall and Mr. Cummings are well known in musical circles in and around Pittsburgh.

Porch Party for Sunday School Class.

Miss Lucy Kennedy's class from the First United Presbyterian church Sunday school was delightfully entertained on the porch of the latter yesterday afternoon with a porch party at her home in Forbes street. Miss Kennedy's home is admirably adapted with its low, covered porches, for such an entertainment. The class consists of 10 small boys.

Robins-Fleming Nuptials.

BLAIRSVILLE, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—Miss Maude Helene Robins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Robins, was married last evening to A. Frazier Fleming of Pittsburg at the home of the bride, "Sunny Banks." After a western trip Mr and Mrs. Fleming will be at home at 1909 Green street, Harrisburg.

Davidson-Walton.

Announcement was made yesterday of the marriage in Steubenville, O., of Miss May Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Davidson, to Dr. Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Braddock, and William Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Walton of Talbot avenue, Braddock.

Notes of Society.

Miss Jean L. Brooks of this city sailed from Boston on Wednesday on the Leyland liner Bohemian, bound for Liverpool.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Graham announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Losey, and Lemuel M. Hollingsworth on Wednesday, June 15. Mr. and Mrs. Hollingsworth will be at home after July 6 at 509 California avenue, Allegheny.

Mrs. S. E. Ditterbacher of the Buckingham, Craft avenue, Oakland, is at Hamilton Falls, Atlantic City, where she will remain until September, when she will make an eastern trip before returning to Pittsburgh in October.

On Thursday evening, June 16, Miss Bessie M. Rossinger of Edgewood and Gustave F. Kallberg of Toledo, O., were married by the Rev. Warren G. Partridge at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Rossinger. The bridesmaids were Miss Estelle Rossinger, a sister of the bride, and Miss Ophelia McCauley of Leechburg. Benjamin R. Atcherley of Columbus, O., and Harry E. Umbey were groomsmen.

The first summer dance conducted by the Pickwick club will be held at Southern park next Wednesday evening. The following committee will be in charge: John D. Wallace, W. S. Klein, Frederick T. Loeffler, R. Richmond Grimes, J. Milton Ryall, Dr. L. R. Ring, L. B. Grimes, Frederick H. Hazlehurst, William P. Hunter, James L. Grimes, W. R. Holden, Samuel M. Hazelbart, H. R. Grimes, Harry T. Rohrkaste, Elmer Teerge, Robert B. Whiting and W. P. Breeden.

Making Money for Charity.

Not for many years has the Charles J. Clarke place in Oakland presented so gay an appearance as for the New Era club garden party last evening. Row after row of Japanese lanterns were hung across the winding driveway on the Craft avenue side of the place and leading to the specs before the mansion, now the Armory of the Eighteenth regiment, where gaily decorated booths and tents were grouped. The appearance in uniform of the members of Company M who acted as aids throughout the afternoon and evening added to the brilliance of the entertainment. Though hundreds of fantastic glowing Japanese lanterns added to the gay appearance of the place in the evening, the scene in the afternoon was no less brilliant when several hundred smartly gowned women filled the tents set apart for the progressive euchre, which was a distinctive feature of the entertainment in the afternoon. The tables were placed beneath the tents and on the lawn, where the game was played with a great deal of zeal, and at the close the two score prizes were awarded the many fortunate women.

Over the stillness which prevailed while the game was in progress came the sounds of instrumental music from the Armory transformed for the occasion into the amusement hall. Within the drill hall there was plenty of noise. At stated intervals the bugle corps appeared. There was a minstrel show, Hungarian gypsy, gramophones, fancy dancing and various specialties, while above the din created by these attractions rose the voice of the barker. In a special tent a vaudeville entertainment was given, while gypsy tents were occupied by fortune-tellers and a palmist read the hands of the women and children.

In the evening the hop proved very attractive to the younger people, while almost continuously through afternoon and evening concerts were given by the military band. The dance in the evening was conducted under the direction of Dr. H. T. Price, assisted by the following members of Company M: Dr. C. E. Potter, David R. Boyd, B. E. Mustin, M. H. McNair, H. B. Bunting, E. C. Demmler, Frank Demmler, W. E. Flonaker, W. E. Stelbel, M. H. McClafferty, Max McClafferty, A. J. Parrish, John Henderson and William Hartman.

The garden party was given by the New Era club for the purpose of raising money to contribute to the work of the juvenile court, the summer playgrounds and vacation schools and the fund for the proposed Soho public bath and wash house. The executive committee consisted of Mrs. Frank Lea Sams, Mrs. Levi Bird Duff, Mrs. Mattie Patterson, Mrs. Roger Sikes, Mrs. William J. Askin, Mrs. D. O. Hutchinson, Mrs. F. E. Crocker, Mrs. George E. Moore and Mrs. E. J. Cleland.

The Managers Received.

Very enjoyable was the reception which the managers of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association gave last evening in the kindergarten college in honor of the members of this year's graduating class. The assembly and room and offices were simply decorated, the mantels in the assembly room being banked with ferns and huge clusters of pink carnations. The officers of the Board of managers received very informally, among them being Miss Sara H. Killikelly, Mrs. S. Marvis Adams, Mrs. William McCracken, Jr., Mrs. John M. Patterson, Mrs. Elizabeth B. O'Neil, Mrs. William H. Allen and Mrs. James L. Buchanan, assisted by Miss Allison, Miss Culp, Miss Tappen and Miss Alice K. Smyair.

Chairs and tables were placed upon the porch at the front of the building and on the side porches where refreshments were served by the under-graduates of the college. The members of the graduating class in whose honor the reception last evening was given include Miss Maude Louise Crawford, Miss Anna May Crowe, Miss Carmelia Katherine Ecke, Miss Florence Mary Elliott, Miss Grace Reing Everson, Miss Luella Lincoln Kennedy, Miss Alice Lee Lytle, Miss Louise Harrison MacMillan, Miss Anna Biddle McIlvaine, Miss Ida Swearingen McKenzie, Miss Vannie Eliza Peake, Miss Grace Ethel Robinson, Miss Mary Lewis Sharpe and Miss Penelope Parker Whitehead.

This afternoon the alumnae association will hold its annual meeting and luncheon and this year's graduates from the college will be received into the association. The luncheon will be held at the Schenley.

Kindergarten Girls and Boys Sing.

The girls and boys in the Home kindergarten, 258 Shady avenue, conducted by Miss Caroline Hall, held their closing exercises yesterday morning. The children sang their songs and played some of their kindergarten games before an audience composed of their mothers and friends. Baskets which they had made themselves were filled with roses and the girls and boys presented them to their mothers. The exercises were very pretty and interesting and the singing was especially good, music being made one of the important features of training by Miss Hall who is ably assisted by Miss Emma Johnston of Oakmont, a graduate of the kindergarten college in this city. The school was only opened last February and closed yesterday morning to be reopened the first week in October. The children in the kindergarten include Winfield Shiras, Jack Rhodes, LaMoyne Page, Tom Messler, Caroline Valentine, Margaret Stephenson, Helen Townley, Dorothy Brown, Martha Banker, Thompson Palmer, Edwin Ohl, Ernest Schwartz, John Dalzell, John Verner and Walter Turner.

Club Notes.

The Women's Southern society held a purely social meeting yesterday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Warren LaRue Thomas, the second vice president. No formal program was presented. It was the last gathering of the members of the club until fall, when the regular meetings will be resumed in the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music.

This afternoon the members of the Professional Women's club will be entertained at the old Knox mansion in Knoxville by Miss Helen Grimes. The hours will be from 4 o'clock until 7. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock. This is the last meeting of the club this season.

To Inspect All Excursion Boats.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—(Special.)—It was authoritatively announced today that federal officers will immediately reinspect every excursion steamer in the United States. This order comes from the president and is the result of the loss of life in the General Slocum disaster. That steamer owners are constantly evading the laws and jeopardizing thousands of lives in order that money may be saved is admitted by government officials high and low.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

William F. Springob, Jr.	Allegheny
Catherine Abel	Allegheny
Joseph Kramer	Allegheny
Mary Hubert	Allegheny
Karl Kirschner	Pittsburgh
Eleanora Liptak	Pittsburgh
Friedrich Schmidt	West Liberty
Susanna Hoffman	Pittsburgh
Rudolph Butterbach	Pittsburgh
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Mary Arkin	Allegheny
Rinna Fenn	Pittsburgh

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The first telegram over the new lines just built along the Wabash railroad extension was received at Bridgeville during George J. Gould's visit here and came from Mrs. Gould. It is asserted that in this there was nothing more than a coincidence. These telegraph lines are to be among the most important out of Pittsburgh, as they will serve as trunk lines of the Western Union Telegraph Company, of which the Gould interest holds the control. The lines have been built unusually well, with 50 poles to the mile and heavy copper wire.

Church Celebrates Centennial.

NEW CASTLE, PA., June 17.—(Special.)—The centennial celebration of the Westfield Presbyterian church, near Mt. Jackson, this county, took place today and was attended by immense crowds from that section and this county. It was also the occasion of the unveiling of the bronze memorial tablet to the memory of the late Rev. William M. Taylor, D. D., who served as pastor to the congregation for 42 years and died January 1, 1903. The ceremonies were elaborate and continued through the day. Many visiting ministers participated in the exercises, among them being the Rev. J. D. Morehead, Beaver Falls; the Rev. J. S. Rice, Butler; the Rev. H. Dunlap, D. D., Avalon; the Rev. H. N. Potter, Darlington, and the Rev. M. W. Keith of this city. The anniversary address was delivered by the Rev. Albert Joseph McCartney, the present pastor, and the memorial address by the Rev. Dunlap.

Aged German Commits Suicide.

MONONGAHELA, PA., June 17.—The body of Fred Feevy was found on the Monongahela river bridge this morning, he having killed himself. In the notebook was the following: "My Dear Friends: I will kill myself here and bid you good bye, for I have been treated wrong. Let the government find my body and put it under ground. My brother, August Feevy, lives at Gilmoretown, this side of Donora." Feevy was born in Saxony and was 63 years old. He came to this country and enlisted in Company K, Fifth West Virginia regiment, at the opening of the civil war.

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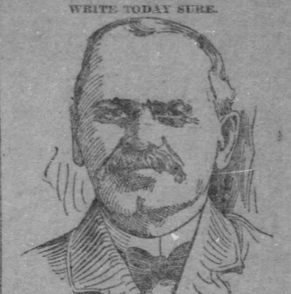

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For sale—Very fine, 4 miles from market town; 125 acres good tilling land; underlaid with limestone and Freeport coal; stone house, 8 rooms; bank barn 50x70; spring house and other outbuildings. Young bearing apple orchard of 300 trees. Price $6,500, on easy terms. FRANKSTOWN REALTY CO., 7806 Frankstown ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—

THE 54-ACRE FARM.

Recently advertised by us has been sold. We have other farms for sale, however. Send for farm list.

JAS. W. DRAPE & CO., 425 Fourth ave.

20-ACRE FARM—22 miles from Pittsburgh, 5-roomed frame house, stable and all necessary outbuildings; good water; splendid orchard; can give possession at once. ½ mile from depot.

HOME REAL ESTATE CO., Room 416, Ferguson Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—

A 30-ACRE FARM NEAR

McKeesport, small dwelling and barn, fine orchard; a beautiful place.

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Manufacturing Property.

An exceptional chance

To Buy or Lease,

In Central location.

Lot 72x114 ft. with R. R. Siding.

Liberty Street, 12th Ward. See

COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO., 327 and 329 Fourth ave.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Hazelwood; four-room frame house; front and rear porches; lot 20x80; price $1,400; cash required $600, balance $8 monthly; will trade equity for vacant lot. Address H 166, The Gazette.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A large, modern house, with large lot, on paved street in Oakland; price $7,500; want smaller property. ELDERKIN STANTON CO., 832 Fourth ave.

$1,500—Equity brick house, Edgewood, for up-to-date automobile. P. O. Box 1695.

For Sale or Rent.

A foundry and machine plant located on the Pennsylvania R. R., Pittsburgh, consisting of

One machine shop bldg., 80x220.
One machine shop bldg., 40x150.
One foundry bldg., 75x125.

All steel and brick buildings, with suitable crane runways. Main office building with vaults, storage bins, etc.

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THE FISHER FOUNDRY AND MACHINE CO., 21st and May Sts., Pittsburgh, South Side.

Real Estate—Special.

AS TO real estate in Oakmont, Verona and vicinity consult LaRue Tiers, Verona, Pa., or Oakmont, Pa.

Business Opportunities.

Bottle factory, complete and ready to operate; conveniently located in Pittsburgh district; fine shipping facilities by rail and river; can be bought for $75,000; one-third cash. Remainder to suit; equipment includes one 6-ton day tank, gas producer, 5 sets tehrs, one 32-pot furnace, boiler, engine, annealing, glory holes, molds, tools, etc. Plant cost nearly $80,000.

REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 FOURTH AVE.

FOR SALE—Restaurant, Penn ave., near Union depot; price reasonable. Address V 219, The Gazette.

Business Opportunities.

ROOMING HOUSE—Located in city; containing 8 rooms and bath; 7 rooms furnished complete; rent $35 per mo.; bargain; price $350.

JOHN R. COX,
608-609 Keystone Bldg., 324 Fourth ave.

DRUG STORE FOR SALE—Centrally located, thriving town 50,000 population, Central Pennsylvania; annual business $20,000; inventory, $9,000; a bargain at $10,000; good reason for selling. Address P 166, The Gazette.

DRUG STORE—Located in city; having postoffice in store; public telephone; doing business of $25 day; rent $20 month; price $1,000.

JOHN R. CAVANAGH & CO.,
608-609 Keystone Bldg., 324 Fourth ave.

ROOMING HOUSE, newly furnished throughout; splendid location; Anderson st., Allegheny; rent $50; good opportunity; 5 minutes' walk Pittsburgh. Address G 220, The Gazette.

AN EXCELLENT opening for energetic young man with $1,000 cash to secure established business enterprise. Address box E 40, The Gazette.

GROCERY STORE—Located in city; business $200 per week; rent $20; stock and fixtures will involve $1,000; price $1,500 cash. Address S 220, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—A $400 piano, used but a few months; will sacrifice for $200 on account of serious illness. Address C 190, The Gazette.

Household Effects.

FOR SALE—Furniture and goods of every description. Private storage charges. Tuesday next at 10 a. m., Water street, between Penn avenue and Duquesne way.

HAUGH & KEENAN STORAGE & TRANSFER COMPANY.

Typewriters.

WE HAVE A NUMBER OF LATE MODEL Remington, Smith Premier, Hammond and other makes of typewriters that we will sell cheap. These machines are all in good condition. UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER CO., 241 Fifth ave.

Miscellaneous.

OFFICE FURNITURE—Cheap flat top desk, brand new, large high grade rolltop desk, very fine new solid quarter oak counter, cashier's grill-work, chairs, etc.

HOME TRUST CO., 541 Wood st.

PAINT PRESERVES PROPERTY.

Protect your house with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.

F. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth Ave.
711 Forbes st. Both Telephones.

FOR SALE—Half medium Gordon printing press, modern style, good condition, cheap. Address E 166, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Office furniture, typewriter, cash register, show cases. 233 Diamond st.

PERSONALS.

PERSONAL—Bargains at sale of goods of every description, Tuesday next at 10 a. m., Water street, between Penn avenue and Duquesne way.

HAUGH & KEENAN STORAGE & TRANSFER COMPANY.

PERSONAL—Do you know a good painter? If so, have him do your work in 1904, send to F. J. BYRNE. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best material. 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones. 711 Forbes st.

PERSONAL—The only patent adjustable window shade holder that gives perfect satisfaction and 10,000 in use in Pittsburgh; is sold by T. C. Britting, 1520 Sherman ave., Allegheny, Pa.

YON KING LEM, Chinese Restaurant, 511 Second ave. Tea, 10c a cup. The only people that make Chinese and Canadian cakes. 10c; fish, yokonda, 15c; chop suey, 25c. Everything is clean and pure. So says J. Ramsay.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

DIVIDENDS.

Office of The Westinghouse Machine Co.,
East Pittsburgh, Pa., June 9, 1904.

DIVIDEND NO. 36—The board of directors of this company has this day declared a quarterly dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF (2½) PER CENT on the capital stock of the company, payable July 15, 1904, to stockholders of record at June 30, 1904. Transfer books will be closed from July 1 to July 11, both inclusive.

T. L. BROWN, Treasurer.

Office of Real Estate Trust Co. of Pittsburgh,
311 Fourth ave.
Pittsburgh, Pa., June 14, 1904.

DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of TWO (2) PER CENT, payable July 1, 1904, to stockholders of record on June 25, 1904.

W. S. VAN DYKE, Sec'y and Treas.

NOTICE.

IS COLORADO RUSSIA?

Workingmen of Allegheny county: You are earnestly invited to attend a mass meeting of workingmen to be held on the Monongahela wharf, Wood st., Saturday evening, June 18, to protest against the outrages that are being perpetrated upon the working class of Colorado. Good speakers will address this meeting and tell the truth about Gov. Peabody, Gen. Bell and the capitalist class of Colorado.

MEETINGS.

Bellevue Realty Savings & Trust Co.,
440 Lincoln ave., Bellevue, Pa.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the above-named institution will be held in the banking house on Thursday, July 14, 1904, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock p. m. The meeting is for the purpose of electing directors to serve for the coming year and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the stockholders at that time.

RALPH WITHERSPOON, Secretary.

DETECTIVE AGENCY.

CALL, WRITE OR TELEPHONE McSWEENEY'S INTER-STATE DETECTIVE AGENCY, 421 Diamond st., Pittsburgh. We transact a general detective business; all communications treated strictly confidential.

THE JOY DETECTIVE SERVICE, 606, 607, 608, 609 Lewis Block. Bell 'phone Grant 1224. Night 'phone Wilkins 412.

PATENTS.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 306 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

O. D. LEVIS, 36 years attorney, 643 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh.

SPECIAL.

JAMES T. ARMSTRONG,
Auditor and Accountant,
807 Farmers Bank Building.
Fifteen Years' Experience.

FOR SALE.

Business Opportunities.

ROOMING HOUSE—Located in city; containing 8 rooms and bath; 7 rooms furnished complete; rent $35 per mo.; bargain; price $350.

JOHN R. COX,
608-609 Keystone Bldg., 324

BREAK IN SOUTHERN PACIFIC DEPRESSED THE MARKET

Prices Closed at or Near the Lowest of the Day. Industrials Also Sold Off—Break in Crucible Steel Preferred.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

A break in Southern Pacific to 44⅞ late in the afternoon yesterday finally gave the New York stock market its only decided tone. Prior to that the market was irregular, but fairly steady. At the opening foreigners were buyers, and slight fractional gains were established throughout the list. Insiders were credited with supporting Southern Pacific, and that stock advanced from 45¾ at the opening to 46⅛. On the curb market, however, Southern Pacific preferred, "when issued," sold at 118, and was subsequently offered at 116, as compared with sales the day before at 121. The "curb" market is usually depended upon to express professional opinion as to any new financial proposition. It is not always infallible, because the bulls are privileged to use its facilities as well as the bears, and it has often occurred that an unlisted security has been boomed on the curb only to come under the hammer when admitted to official quotations.

The street was beginning to take a more favorable view of the Southern Pacific proposition for raising $40,000,000 cash when the semi-official announcement was made that the company proposed to reserve the right to retire the new preferred stock at any time within five years at 115. This was like setting an official valuation upon the new stock, and officials are not given to making undervaluations upon securities which are to be offered for sale. The experts had figured out that 7 per cent railroad stock should command something like 140 as an investment, and on this basis it was calculated that the Southern Pacific proposition was equivalent to a dividend of at least 2 per cent per annum on the common stock. It was argued that no one would care to buy the preferred stock at a figure above the company's "call" price, and hence the return to a bearish view of the situation.

Another thing that could not be construed as bullish was the suggestion that the proposed authorization of $100,000,000 preferred stock—when only $40,000,000 was required to liquidate all floating debts and provide $10,000,000 for improvements—was for the purpose of paying for Atchison common stock accumulated by the company's financial backers during the past year. The thing looked queer to the recent Pennsylvania financiering that was open to criticism was that the advances made by the company for holdings of securities in other companies necessitated a considerable proportion of the new stock issue; that the company had been paying more attention to its neighbors than to improving the facilities of its own road. Pennsylvania stock was selling around 145 when the stockholders were offered the privilege of subscribing for the new stock at 120, about 10 points below the issue price of the new stock. The bears applied this argument to Southern Pacific. The latter held comparatively steady until late in the afternoon, when a heavy drive was made against it and the price declined to and closed at the lowest of the week.

Union Pacific sympathized with the decline in the leader and sold off to 86¾, closing at that price. Atchison declined to and closed at 71½. Pennsylvania lost ⅝ by declining to 115, and New York Central closed at 125, a loss of 1¼ per cent for the day. Lake Erie & Western preferred, which declined to 95 on Thursday on the announcement of the cut in the dividend, sold yesterday at 85.

The feature of the traction group was the drive made early in the day against Metropolitan Street Railway, which declined from 114 to 113¾. The stock recovered a portion of the loss, but finally closed within a fraction of the lowest. The company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. Brooklyn Rapid Transit declined from 48⅝ to 48.

The industrial stocks were less active than the railroads and held relatively steady for a time, but at last sympathized with the decline in the railroad leaders. U. S. Steel preferred declined from 54⅝ to 53⅞ and closed at 54. Amalgamated Copper declined from 49⅞ to 49⅝, and closed at 49¾. Consolidated Gas was quite active within a range of 193 and 194⅞, closing at 193¾.

Call loans remained easy and unchanged at an average of 1¼ per cent. Little attention was paid to the preliminary estimates of the movement of money during the week, but the indications are that today's bank statement will show a further accumulation of cash.

The local stock market was dull and heavy. The principal change was a break of 1¼ per cent in Crucible Steel preferred, which sold down to 83 and closed at 83½ bid. Manufacturers Light and Heat was in better demand at 30 and closed at 30¼ bid. River Coal preferred rallied to 22, and Pittsburgh Coal preferred was firmer, selling at 55⅜ and closing at 55⅞ bid. The remainder of the market was without feature.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

30 P. Coal com. 14⅜ | 100 U. S. Stl. pfd. 54⅜
3 M. L. & H.... 30 | 100 do s. f. 5s.. 74½

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

50 Riv. Coal pfd. 22 | 3 Iron City Tr. 118
50 Am. Sewer P. 20¾ | 26 Colonial Tr. 325
10 Crucible com. 4 | 25 G.Am. S. & T. 154⅛
1 do. 4

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

26 Riv. Coal pfd. 22 | 10 M. L. & H... 30
200 M. L. & H.. 30 | 55 do. 30
90 do. 30 | 10 do. 30

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

50 Crucible com. 4⅛ | 2 M. L. & H... 30
100 do. 4½ | 50 Riv. Coal pfd. 21⅜
5 do. 4¾ | 20 do. 21¾
100 Crucible pfd.. 83 | 100 Luster 11½
100 P. Coal pfd.. 55⅜ | 100 Am. Sewer P. 20½

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
150 Am. Sewer P..	20⅝	20½	20½	....
174 Crucible Steel..	*4¼	4	*4⅛	—¼
100 Do preferred..	83	83	83	—1½
100 Luster Mining..	11½	11½	11½	—½
370 M. L. & H.....	30	30	30	....
30 Pgh. Coal	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	0
100 Do preferred..	55⅜	55⅜	55⅜	+½
140 Riv. Coal pfd..	22	21⅜	21⅜	+⅜
100 U. S. Steel pfd.	54⅜	54⅛	54⅜	+⅛

BANK STOCKS.

26 Colonial Trust.	325	325	325	—25
25 G. Am. T. & T..	154⅛	154⅛	154⅛	+4⅛
5 Iron City Trust.	116	116	116	+1
1320				

BONDS.

$1,000 U. S. stl. c f 5s..	74½	74½	74½	+¾

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Allegheny Nat. Bk., Pgh.	50	115	....
Bank of Pittsburgh	50	143	....
Citizens National	50	135	....
Farmers Deposit National	100	....	1300
Federal National	100	....	190¾
Fourth National	....	....	160
Hiland National	100	249	....
Metropolitan National	100	180	....
Third National, Pgh.	100	150	....
Traders & Mechanics	50	70	....
Iron & Glass Dol. Sav.	100	225	....
Peoples Savings and National	100	....	180
Equitable Trust	100	161	....
Fidelity Title & Trust	100	....	465
Guarantee Title & Trust	100	....	176
Keystone Title & Trust	100	....	149
Real Estate Trust	100	....	235
Iron City Trust	100	118	120
Dollar Sav. Fund & Trust	100	290	....

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
National Insurance	50	160	....
Ben. Franklin Insurance	50	85	90
Western Insurance	50	....	55
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	30½	30¾
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	37¼	37⅝
Citizens Traction	50	65	70
Luster Mining	10	11	11¼
Westinghouse Elec. 2nd pref.	50	77¼	77⅝
Consolidated Light	50	6¼	6½
Cent. Dist. & Print. Tele.	100	117¼	....
Crucible Steel	100	4¼	4½
Do preferred	100	33½	34⅜
Monongahela River Coal pfd.	50	21½	22
Marvine	100	2¾	5½
National Fire Proofing	50	74	....
Do preferred	50	26⅝	....
Philadelphia Co.	50	38	....
P., B. & L. E. R. R.	50	34	35⅝
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	24½	25
Do preferred	50	44½	45½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	14⅜	14⅝
Do preferred	100	55⅞	56
United States Glass	100	57½	....
United States Steel	100	29⅝	30
Do preferred	100	54⅛	54⅜
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	127⅝	....
Monongahela Incline	50	92	....
American Sewer Pipe	100	20¾	21

BONDS.

B. K. & A. Traction 6s	....	116	....
Consolidated Gas 5s	....	108	....
Monongahela R. & P. 5s	....	....	101½
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	113¾	....
Pittsburgh-Buffalo 5s	....	102	102½
Sewer Pipe 6s	....	93	95

PIG IRON WARRANTS.

A—Standard Coke	....	12.00	13.10
B—Northern coke	....	12.65	13.15
D—Standard Bessemer	....	12.50	12.80
E—Southern charcoal	....	17.50	17.75

LOCAL BANK CALL.

At the call of local bank and trust company stocks yesterday Colonial Trust sold at 325, German American Savings & Trust at 154⅛, and Iron City Trust at 116. Following quotations were made for small lots:

	Bid.	Ask.
Federal National (new)	....	190¼
Colonial Trust	320	....
Real Estate Trust	220	225
Lincoln National	240	245
Guarantee Title & Trust	....	176
Iron City Trust	118	120
Third National	150	160
Mortgage Banking	....	120
Union Trust	....	2,300
Exchange National	....	82
Safe Deposit	385½	390
Inter. Savings & Trust	....	25
North American Savings	....	110
Home Trust	120	125
Real Est. Sav. & T., Allegheny	120	130
Allegheny National	115	125
Merchants Savings & Trust	....	55
Dollar Savings Fund & Trust	290	....
German-American Sav. & Trust	154	155
Mercantile	....	140
Franklin Savings & Trust	....	53
Farmers Deposit National	....	1,300
Cosmopolitan National	100	110
Fidelity Title & Trust	....	450
Bank of Pittsburgh, N. A.	143½	....
Pittsburgh Trust	....	435
Equitable Trust	161	176
Commonwealth Trust	....	182½
South Side Trust	....	100½

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The question which brokers and their customers are asking is "How long will this stagnation in the local market last?" There is nothing in sight to break the monotony. The members of the Pittsburgh stock exchange appear to be so apathetic that they overlook even the few opportunities which present themselves for advertising their "stock in trade." For illustration, the primary object in listing a security on a public exchange is to obtain an open recognized market for the same, either for the purpose of selling securities or for strengthening the position as collateral for loans. Ordinarily a corporation does not list its securities unless it is in such financial shape as to make a good showing, because under the rules of recognized stock exchanges the applicant is first required to make a financial statement as to capital, debts (if any), dividends paid, etc. Unless a corporation can make a fairly good showing in this respect it defeats the purpose of listing on the New York stock exchange when it lists a stock or bond prints copies of the financial data submitted by the corporation and not only mails each member a copy, but gets the same information for publication in the newspapers. In this way attention is directed to the new stock or bond and the public becomes interested. In other words, the New York stock exchange advertises its wares. The Pittsburgh stock exchange rules withhold this information from the public—or perhaps it would be more correct to say that the ruling of the committee having such matters in charge decides that public information which it freely made public would lead to business. If a merchant would lay in a stock of goods, hide the same under a counter and deny the public an inspection of the same, he would probably do as much business as the Pittsburgh stock exchange is now doing.

Bessemer Railroad common was quoted at 24 bid, 35⅞ asked. The last public sale was at 32.

Initial public transactions were yesterday made in American Sewer Pipe stock, 150 shares selling at 20⅜ and 20½, and 1,000 shares were offered at 21. The 6 per cent bonds of the company were quoted at 93 bid, 95 asked.

Crucible Steel preferred broke 1½ points to 35 on the marketing of 100 shares, but closed at 33¾ bid. The common stock sold at 4 and 4⅛ and closed at 4⅛ bid.

River Coal preferred rallied to 22 on the absence of offerings, but subsequently reacted to 21⅞, and closed at 21¾ bid, 22 asked.

Pittsburgh Coal common sold unchanged at 14⅜ and closed at that price bid. The preferred sold to the extent of 1,000 shares at 55⅜ and closed at 55⅞ bid, 56 asked.

There was a better demand for Manufacturers Light & Heat than for some time past. The stock sold to the extent of 870 shares at 30 and closed at 30⅛ bid.

There was nothing doing in Westinghouse Electric, which closed at 77⅛ bid, 77⅝ asked. Westinghouse Airbrake was quoted at 127⅝ bid. There were no offerings of the stock.

National Fire Proofing common was quoted at 7⅜ bid and the preferred at 26⅜ bid. There were no offerings of either and no sales all day.

The executive council of the Pennsylvania Bankers' association has decided to hold the tenth annual convention of the Pennsylvania Bankers' association at Atlantic City on Thursday and Friday, the 8th and 7th of October. The committee of arrangements appointed consists of Samuel D. Page, chairman; B. Kloss, W. H. Peck, E. E. Lindemuth, J. R. McAllister and R. J. Stoney, Jr.

The Illinois Steel Company of the United States Steel Corporation has secured an order of 10,000 tons of steel rails for British Columbia, one of 5,000 tons for a western road and one of 1,500 tons for an electric traction road. The Lackawanna Steel Company has a new order of 10,000 tons for southwestern delivery. The Carnegie Steel Company has an order of 8,000 tons for a central west road and several orders for traction roads. The contract for 19,800 tons of steel rails awarded to the Pennsylvania Steel Company by the Southern Pacific is for this year's delivery. The rails are standard sections.

A big fight is on at Augusta, Ga., between Standard and People's Oil companies, in which Standard forced the price down 3 cents a gallon in thousand-gallon lots. Sold five days ago for 14½ cents. Forty thousand dollars' worth were sold Wednesday.

The Standard yesterday reduced the price of Pennsylvania crude oil 2 cents a barrel to $1.57.

F. G. Barker has been elected a member of the Pittsburgh stock exchange.

American Sewer Pipe stock and the 6 per cent bonds have been listed on the Pittsburgh stock exchange.

Norfolk & Western stockholders will vote on a proposed issue of $40,000,000 4 per cent gold bonds.

The Dow-Jones News Agency published the following yesterday: The street has been flooded for some time with reports concerning the American Can Company and its affairs. Its wares, The Pittsburg

COUNTRY CLUB GIVES MORTGAGE

Land Company Places Loan of $65,000 on Its Squirrel Hill Holdings.

EXCHANGES IN SEWICKLEY

Through the agency of Nelson E. Young the Country Club Land Company has placed a loan of $65,000 on its Squirrel Hill holdings, the money having been obtained from a Pittsburgh estate at 5 per cent interest. Recently, however a considerable sum was placed before the club members by the directors May 16, but the deal has just been sanctioned and closed. This sum, with the money received on stock subscriptions, will put the land company in a most advantageous position financially and enable it to provide a swimming pool, horse show ground and more drives and terraces this summer. The majority of the $200,000 captial has been subscribed and the land company now includes over 200 of the 500 club members, the shares being $50 each. The $75,000 clubhouse and the stables have cost approximately $150,000. In addition to these the land company paid J. J. Rickets, Morris Kaufmann and M. M. Frey $58,500 for 39 acres of land. The property is leased to the Country club at an annual rental of 5 per cent on the total investment, the club paying all taxes and making all repairs.

Joseph P. Franklin & Co. yesterday secured signatures in an exchange deal totaling $20,400. To John Mary, Jr., White of Sewickley they sold for a local business block on the Penn-Lincoln brick business block adjoining the First National bank and facing in Broad street, near Beaver street, Sewickley, for $14,700. The building is occupied by the Sewickley Valley Publishing Company and the borough council and stands on a lot 40x140 feet. In exchange for this property Mrs. White tendered 3904 Franklin street, near Fulton street, Forty-first ward, Allegheny, a 10-room brick house on 20x150 feet and valued at $9,400; 2 frame house on 40x150 feet at Gerwig and Williams streets, Millvale, valued at $4,000, and two lots, 45x150 feet each, in Ft. Wayne and Ohio avenues, Loretta place, Sewickley, valued at $2,500.

Fourteenth Ward Houses Sold.

Three of the John H. Elder houses on the east side of Robinson street, near Terrace street, Fourteenth ward, have been sold by Edgar S. Estep to Alfred L. Schweinbinz for $10,500, or $9,500 each. The houses are modern nine-room two-story dwellings on 25x100 feet each, and rent for $35 each a month.

R. L. Zunk has purchased from Andrew S. Miller 100x195 feet at the northeast corner of Euclid avenue and Euclid street, Fifteenth ward, for $14,000. The lot was bought for a site for the $200,000 apartment hotel, of which mention was made in The Gazette yesterday.

It develops that the price which Joseph Wood paid for the Dr. Bingaman lot, 104x241 feet, at the northeast corner of Ellsworth and Amberson avenues, Thirteenth ward, was only $40,000, instead of $50,000, as first reported. Title to the property was secured from W. P. Fraser and J. Wade Stonewright and the deal was negotiated by Edward A. Mayer.

The Jones & Laughlin Steel Company has transferred to the National Tube Company a triangular piece of ground in the Twenty-third ward containing 2.744 square feet. The property is 124 feet from Second avenue and adjoins the land recently sold by the tube company to the Monongahela Connecting Railroad Company. The consideration in the steel company's deal was kept quiet.

Joan K. Ewing, formerly of the Union Realty Company and now at the head of the John K. Ewing Company of Philadelphia and Atlantic City, was in Pittsburgh on a business trip. Within the last six weeks his company has leased over 60 cottages at Atlantic City, the rentals varying from $25 to $2,500 for the season. According to Mr. Ewing, while the money is very plenty in Philadelphia, and many good loans are being placed on good security reived for most loans of over $20,000, and in at 4.5 per cent. The same complaint is heard instead of borrowers hunting money, the reverse has been true for several months.

Edgewood Club an Assured Fact.

The securing of a site for a new club house in Edgewood, which was published in The Gazette last Sunday, is the first step toward the establishment of a representative social organization. The property, which was secured through the agency of George C. Norris & Co., is the old Nicholas Hunter farm of 20 in its allotment for $350; to James E. Wilson lot 397, for $350; to E. D. Brady lot 217, for $100.

Belmar Place: George H. Shickler sold to William K. T. Kohler a lot 50x125 to 12 feet, on the south side of Hermitage street, near Sterrett street, Twenty-first ward, for $4,500.

Belmar place: The Pittsburgh Trust Company sold to George H. Shickler 50x93 feet, at the northeast corner of Monticello and Collier streets, Twenty-first ward, for $2,000.

Ridge avenue: Samuel E. Miller sold to Emanuel H. Dibert 20x130 feet on the northwest side of Ridge avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, for $1,900.

Butler road: Mabel G. Allen sold to Owen Ross an improved lot 20x199 feet, in Butler street, Eighteenth ward, for $1,250.

A building permit was issued yesterday by the Pittsburgh Realty Company, Inspection to George N. Heoshey for a three-story brick 29-room apartment house at Center avenue and Graham street, Twentieth ward, to cost $22,000.

A. P. Zug & Co. sold for Mrs. Elizabeth C. Irwin to Mrs. Elizabeth J. Gray a brick reception hall house of nine rooms, with all modern conveniences on lot 35x162 feet, at 1545 Shady avenue, Fifth, Irwin avenue, Twenty-second ward, for $10,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Schurman Geo E to Fredk Bremer, June 1, 15th wd, Pgh, 18x100, Butler st.....$ 7,350
Cowan Wm T to M Swinehart, June 2, 11th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Kirkpatrick st..... 3,400
Kiernan E E to L Smolsky, Mch 28, 8th wd, Pgh, 20x71, Wylie ave..... 4,800
Higelow H M to F Schaffer, May 21st wd, Pgh, 20x135, Hamilton ave. 60,000
Conway James H to Frank Bishop, June 8, 21st wd, Pgh, 30x203, Arbor st..... 1,900
Hotkin I to Mrs. Mary Hotkin, Apr 26, Duquesne, 56x117, Grant ave..... 1,500
Bartlett C D to D H Littell, Feb 1, 21st wd, Pgh, Pgh, 30x100, Finance st..... 3,000
Reformed Presbytery, Apr 1, 15th wd, Alle, 20x90, Lowry st..... 1,650
Same to Wm Zehnder, Apr 1, 15th wd, Alle, 23x52, Straubs lane..... 1,450
Ralston M J to C L Zollinger, Apr 13, 9th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Penn ave..... 2,000
Phillips H A to G M Morris, May 25, Sheswick, 80x150, Beech st..... 2,600
Ackard Wm to Wm Wardle, June 15, Homestead, 23x111, Eighth ave..... 1,100
Mayer Wm to A G Schmidt, Jan 28, 19th wd, Pgh, 30x120, Station st..... 11,000
Kennedy Alexander to Mary Stephenson, June 14, 10th wd, Alle, 30x100, Kennedy ave
Elbs J Fred to Harry Hart, June 1, 31st wd, Pgh, 22x63, Arlington ave..... 4,700
Creighton Geo R to Eliza Downing, May 24, 22d wd, Pgh, 20x100, Bedford ave..... 3,600
Imling Anton to J Schuerger, May 8, 31st wd, Pgh, 25x150, Eureka st..... 2,100
Hinthey Chas to C Grobregin, June 1, 32d wd, Pgh, 25x120, Williams st..... 1,250
Loest Elizabeth to A J LeLong, June 8, 10th wd, Alle, 40x145, Main st.....
Palmer Nannie M to J Q Nycum, Apr 6, Edgewood, 35x119, Franklin ave..... 1,800
Port Vue Land & Impt Co to Katie Russar, June 10, Port Vue, 30x100, Sylvan ave
Watson M A to S C Hendricks, Mch 18, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x100, Lang ave..... 3,800
Waterman Jas to Isabella Cochran, June 1, 15th wd, Alle, 205x207, Watson boulevard.....
Devine Jno J to M A Buchanan, June 9, 20th wd, Pgh, 27x118, Coral st..... 6,700
Knise W K to A W Udick, May 6, Leet twp, 83x315, Locust st..... 2,000
Aspinwall Land Co to A E Wells, June 27, Aspinwall, 30x101, Western ave..... 4,250
Moore Thomas to L E Rotzsch, June 13, 8th wd, McKeesport, 24x133, Fifth ave.
Lambie Albert to Nicole Lambie, June 1, Pitcairn, 70 Edith st.....
Keenan Thos J to C H Adelman, June 15, 6th wd, Pgh, 82x152, Bluff st..... 27,750
Shaw S to W W Giffin, Apr 23, Springdale twp, 25 acres..... 10,750
Wagner Wm C to Katherine Hunter, June 16, Mt. Oliver, 26x102, Charles alley .....
Weaver J H to U S Bldg Co, June 15, Sterrett twp, 30x125, Duncan ave..... 1,850

COFFEE IS GOING UP; HERRING ARE LOWER

Tomatoes and Potatoes Are Plentiful--Local Hay and Grain Market Is Slow.

Coffee is on the climb and advance in prices is only a question of a short time, according to reports received yesterday. Advices are that heavy frosts have been encountered in the Brazilian fields; the present crop is also comparatively small. Prices are down now because of the approach of the buying season for big dealers, but this condition will not last long. No. 7 mackerel is here in very small quantities, but the stock has been having a good sale for about 10 days. Prices are low, as they usually are at the opening of the mackerel season. Lake herring are quoted lower. Flour is firm at present prices and is in good demand.

Tomatoes are now arriving in mammoth quantities; the yards are crowded at present with big arrivals in almost every line, but potatoes and new potatoes are propably here in greater abundance than anything else in the produce line. New potatoes are reduced again and are nearly down to the $4 mark. Melons of all kinds are coming in freely; prices on cantaloupes are holding up better than expected; the berry movement is still very limited but will improve next week. Asparagus is lower again; new beans are large. Butter and eggs were about the same as the day before. No change reported in poultry, while provisions are showing better as the warm season advances. Business is very small in the hay, grain and feed line. Sales are scant and hard to make. According to reports there has been a noticeable falling off in demand on the part of retail dealers in the past week. Quotations are changed to comply with the weak corn market. Other articles are showing about the same as this time last week; one year ago, timothy hay was very much higher than it is now and commanded full prices.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 24 cars; hay, 2 cars; oats, 2 cars; corn, 5 cars; feed, 2 cars; Baltimore & Ohio, 3 cars; feed; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 1 car corn, 1 car hay; Baltimore & Ohio, 3 cars corn, 3 cars hay, 1 car oats, 2 cars straw.

Dealers charge an advance of 5c a bushel on grain and $3 00 a ton on hay and millfeed from warehouse in less than carload lots.

Hay, No. 1 timothy ...$14.50@15.00
do No. 2 ...$13.00@14.00
No. 1 clov ...$11.50@12.00
No. 1 mix ...$12.00@12.50
Loose, from store, wagon ...$15.00@17.00
Straw, oat ...$9.00@9.50
do wheat ...$9.00@9.50
do rye ...$14.00@14.50
Oats, No. 2 white ...47@47½c
do No. 3 ...46½@47c
do No. 4 ...46@46½c
Rye, No. 2 Mich. ...$1@$2c

White middlings No. 1 ton ...$24.00@25.00
No. 2 mid dlings. ...$23.00@23.50
Brown ...$22.50@23.50
Bran, ton ...$22.50@23.00
Wheat, No. 2 red ...99c@$1.00
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled ...55@55½c
Hild mix ...54@55½c
No. 2 mix ...54@55c
No. 2 yellow ear ...56@57c

GROCERIES.

Flour
Fancy spg. pat. ent, quarters, in paper ...$5.30@5.55
Fancy winter patent ...$5.20@5.25
Straight wins ...$5@5.15
First clears ...$3.90@4.10
Second clears ...$3.75@3.85
Rye ...$4.30@4.35
Graham ...$4.75@4.80
Cornmeal ...$3.10@3.20
do 10-lb cotton bags ...16½@17c
Rolled oats, bbl ...$5.40
do kegs ...$2.85
Roasted Coffee.
Rio ...15@15c
Santos ...22½@23½c
Maracaibo ...15½@16c
Peaberry ...17½@18c
Golden Rio ...14@14½c
Bourbon ...18@18½c
Standard pkgs ...$10.55@11.05
High gr ...$17.50@19.20
Molasses fancy refined ...35@37c
do choice ...32@35c
do open ket ...30@40c
Syrup.
Fancy syrup ...28@30c
Maple, gal ...$1.60
Sugar and cane mp ...25c
Prime ...24@27c
2½-lb cans, doz ...$1.90
3-lb cans, doz ...$1.10
5-lb cans, doz ...$1.85
10-lb cans, doz ...$3.45
Maple, gal ...75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl ...$5.90
do keg ...$3.10
Sugar, sta. gran ...4.90c
do 5-lb bags ...5.10c
do powdered ...5.10c
do pow'd xxxx ...5.10c
do cubes ...5.20c
do cut loaf ...5.75c
do Texas Fer ...4.75@4.85c
do No. 1 yellow ...4.70c
do No. 2 yellow ...4.55c
do No. 3 yellow ...4.50c
Beans.
Navy, choice ...$1.95@2.00
H. P. ...$1.95@2.00
Red kidney ...$3.25@3.30
Col. limas ...4½@5c
Peas, dried, bu ...$1.20@1.25
do split, lb ...4c
Imported bu ...$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg ...11½c
do headlight ...12½c
do water white ...13c
do Ohio W. W. ...12½c
do Elaine ...16c
do open kettle brands ...26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb ...6¼@7c
do fancy Japan ...4@4¼c
do choice Caro-lina ...5¼@5½c
Salt, No. 1 bbl ...$1.60
do No. 1 extra ...$1.10
do No. 7 ...$1.40
do pocket ...$1.55@1.85
do dairy ...$1.30
Lentils, fancy ...5c
Sugar, sta. gran ...4.96c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new ...12½@13c
do Ohio cream ...13@13½c
do ¾ cream, new ...7@7½c
do Ohio Swiss ...12@12½c

CANNED GOODS

Peaches, std. pie ...$1.10
do pie, gal ...$2.50@3.00
do California, ...$1.65@2.25
do Maryland ...$1.45@1.65
do California, Y. F. ...$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy ...$1.35@1.75
do std ...$1.20@1.35
Cherries, Cal. white ...$2.35@2.75
Lima beans ...$1.20@1.45
do soaked ...75@80c
String beans, 2-lb ...70c
do 3-lb ...
Stringless beans ...$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrow fat ...90@95c
do early June ...95c@$1.00
do soaked ...55@65c
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans ...$2.15@2.20
Pineapples ...$1.20@2.25
Pumpkin, California ...$1.55@1.60

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl ...$26.00
do half bbl ...$11.50
do quar. bbl ...$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl ...$25.00
do half bbls ...$13.00
do quar. bbls ...$6.25
do 20-lb pails ...$2.40
do 10-lb pails ...$1.75

Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl ...$14.00
do half bbls ...$7.40
do quar. bbls ...$3.85
do 20-lb pails ...$1.75
do 10-lb pails ...85c
do 2 Irish 50-lb tubs ...$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs ...$3.35
do 50-lb ...$1.85
do 10-lb ...50c

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags ...10@12c
do 25-lb boxes ...10½@12½c
Apples, bulk ...6¾@7c
do 1-lb car lots ...7½@8c
Peaches ...7@10½c
Raisins, seeded 1-lb pkg ...7½@7½c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown ...50@3.00@$5c
do Ondaria ...
Val. ...6¾@7½c
Sultanas ...7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs ...6½@6¾c
Prunes ...3@8c
Figs, Cal. ...2c
do Turk ...12½@14c

SEEDS.

Millet, do eastern ...$1.25@1.30
Southern ...$1.75@1.80
Grass, Hungarian ...90c@$1.10
do lawn, 1½-lb bu ...$1.65@1.75
do blues, 14-lb bu ...$1.55@1.60
Timothy ...$1.55@1.60

NUTS.

Filberts ...10c
Eng. walnuts ...12@13c
S. S. almonds ...15c
Tarr. almonds ...15c
Mixed ...10c
Brazil ...9c
Dried Italian chestnuts ...7c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, store ...$1.40@1.50
do track ...$1.25@1.30
do new, bbl ...$4.25@4.50
do bu sacks ...$1.75@1.85
Onions, Egyptian, sacks ...$2.75@3.00
do Bermuda, crates ...$1.85@2.75
do Texas Fer ...$4.75@5.00
Texas silver skins ...$2.25@2.50
do southern, bags ...$2.15@2.25
do southern, bbls ...$4.00@4.25
Green onions ...12@15c
Cucumbers, do southern, doz ...50@60c
do bbls ...$4.50@5.00
do boxes ...$1.50@1.75
Green peas, per bu. ...$1.00@1.25
Cabbage, per crate ...$2.25@2.50
Parsley, doz ...40@50c
Radishes, doz ...20@25c
Kale, bu. bas ...90c@$1.00
Lettuce, home, doz ...25@30c
String beans, per crate ...$1.00@1.50
Wax beans ...$1.00@1.25
Rhubarb, home raised ...15@20c
Watercress, doz ...40@50c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.
Prints ...20¼@21c
Tubs ...20@20½c
Ohio cream ...17½@18½c
Dairy ...10@12c
Country roll ...10@12c

Eggs, new ...12½@13c
do old ...10@10c
do gath. bk ...12½@13c
Eggs, candled ...15½@16c
do southern ...15c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina ...$3.00@3.50
do, California ...$2.40@2.50
Limes, per 100 ...$1.50
Oranges, California, navel ...$2.25@3.50
Cocoanuts, per bag ...$2.75@3.00
Pineapples, crate ...$2.75@3.25
Grapes, Almeria ...$3.50@6.00
Grape fruit ...$5.00@5.50

Apples, fancy bbl ...$2.50@3.00
do choice ...$2.00@2.25
do Missouri, per box ...$1.75@2.25
Cherries, California, 10-lb box ...$1.00@1.25
do Maryland ...$2.25@2.50
Peaches, new, 6-basket carriers ...$1.50@2.50
do 4-basket carriers ...75c@$1.25
Wild plums, per crate ...$2.50@3.25

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens ...14@15c
Dressed hens ...17@18c
Live springers ...28@30c
Dressed sp gers ...35@38c
Frozen broilers ...29c
Roasters ...18@20c
Turkeys ...20@23c
do fresh killed ...17@18c
Roosters ...13@14c
Geese ...8@9c
Ducks ...19@20c
Long Island ...
Guineas, lb ...25c
Capon, lb ...23@25c

Squab, doz ...$4.00
do No. 2 ...$3.00
do ruddy ...$1.25
do red head ...$1.75@2.00
do canvas back ...$2.75@3.00
Imp. golden plover, doz ...$5.50
do black plover ...$4.50
do grouse ...$2.50
do partridges ...$2.25
English pheasants, per pair ...$3.25
Large hares, per doz ...$2.25@2.50
Snappers, per lb ...7@8c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.
18 lbs and up ...11¼c
Over 14 to 18 lbs ...10¼c
Over 10 to 14 lbs ...10¼c
10 lbs and under ...10½c
Skinned ...12c
Boneless boiled ...19c
California ...9c
Mixed ...10c
Bacon, fancy cut ...8¼c
do skinned ...9c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs ...10c
do 6 to 8 lbs ...9¾c
do back strips ...9¼c
do cleans, 8 to 10 lbs. ...11c
do 10 to 12 lbs ...10½c

Breakfast bacon, back strips ...9¼c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears ...7¼c
Bellies, 8 to 25 lbs ...8c
do 16 to 20 lbs ...8¼c
do under 16 lbs ...8¼c
Dry salt shoulders, N. Y. cut ...8¼c
do skinned ...9c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs ...9c
do 16 to 20 lbs ...9¼c
do under 16 lbs ...9¼c
Lard, pure, tierces ...7c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy ...8c
do light, under 60 lbs and cows, all weights ...7c
No. 1 green bulls ...6c
Calfskin. No. 1 ...10c

Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs ...9c
do No. 2 ...8c
Cows and light ...8c
No. 2 ...

FINE WEATHER LOWERS GRAIN PRICES ON BOARD

Wheat, Corn and Oats All Show Losses on the Chicago Market.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, June 17.—Prospects of a free movement from the farms in the near future had considerable to do with producing a weak undertone in wheat today. At the close July wheat was down ½@¾c. Corn is off ⅝@⅞c. Oats show a loss of ⅝@⅞c and provisions a shade to 5c lower.

Steady cables and a big decrease in Argentine shipments caused a fair degree of firmness in wheat at the start. Opening quotations for July were unchanged to ¼c higher at 84¼@84⅝c. The market soon lost its initial strength, however, on selling by pit traders and commission houses. The greater part of trading was in the September delivery. Offerings were much in excess of the demand, and as a result prices started downward. The chief cause of the early selling was excellent weather conditions throughout the winter wheat part of the country. There were also numerous bearish crop reports. Canadian dispatches asserted that rust had made fine progress during the past week and that the acreage will be 9½ per cent more than for 1903.

Equally bearish news regarding spring wheat in July and the Dakotas was received from Minneapolis, replies from 1,000 inquiries sent out from that city showing a somewhat larger acreage than last year. In connection with harvesting operations in the southwest, a St. Louis trade paper claimed that indications point to a satisfactory yield, with quality generally good. It was also about new wheat coming on the market has played to advantage a bear card. The weakness of the September and December options at Minneapolis also had a depressing influence on the market here late in the day. A fair recovery was made in July during the last half hour on covering by shorts. After selling down to 83¼@83¾c, that delivery closed at 84@84¼c. September ranged between 79¼@79⅞ and 79¼c, closing at 79⅛@79⅝c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 35,400 bushels. Bradstreet's exports for the week were equal to 2,044,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 223,300 bushels, compared with 352,200 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 125 cars, against 189 cars last week and 279 cars a year ago.

Sentiment in the corn market early in the day was somewhat unsettled, but as the season advanced the tone became quite weak as a result of heavy selling at July by a prominent commission house. Weakness of wheat, liberal receipts and fine weather were the influences that caused the selling pressure. A big reduction in Argentine shipments and a steadying effect at the opening of July caused sellers to ¼c lower at 48¾@48¾c to 48¾c, sold between 48¾ and 49c and closed at 48¾c. Local receipts were 329 cars, with 39 cars of contract grade.

Oats were affected by the weakness of corn and by an official report showing increased acreage in Canada. Trading was on a very small scale, and the tendency of prices was downward. The September delivery monopolized the small business done. After opening 5c lower at 34¾c, July sold between 38⅝c and 39¼c, closing at 38¾@38⅝c. Local receipts were 112 cars.

Provisions were strong in the early part of the session, but later there was enough realizing by local longs to cause a reaction and a change from strength to comparative weakness. Small receipts of hogs and firm prices at the yards were early bull factors. The market closed near the bottom, with September pork down 15@17½c at $12 80@12 82½. Lard was off 2½@5c at $6 97½. Ribs were a shade lower at $7 45.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 19 cars; corn, 337 cars; oats, 102 cars; hogs, 10,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago Board of Trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2, July	85¼	86¼	84¾	84⅞	85
July	84⅜	84⅞	83¾	84	84¾
Sept.	81⅝	81⅞	80¾	80⅞	81⅝
Sept. n	79⅜	79⅝	79¼	79⅜	79⅝
CORN					
No. 2,					
June				47⅝	48
July	48⅜	49	48	48¾	48¾
Sept.	49¼	49⅝	48⅜	48⅝	49¼
OATS					
No. 2, June				41¼	41⅜
July	39⅜	39⅝	38¾	38¾	39¼
Sept.	32¾	32¾	31⅞	31⅞	32¼
Dec.	32¼	32½	32⅛	32⅛	32⅜
MESS PORK					
July	12 67½	12 70	12 60	12 55	12 65
Sept.	12 90	12 95	12 77½	12 82½	12 87½
LARD					
July	6 87½	6 90	6 77½	6 80	6 82½
Sept.	7 02½	7 05	6 95	6 97½	7 00
SHORT RIBS					
July	7 30	7 32½	7 20	7 22½	7 27½
Sept.	7 50	7 50	7 40	7 42½	7 47½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour dull and easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 92@98c; No. 3, 85@92c. No. 2 red, 82@83c; No. 2 corn, 48¾c; No. 2 yellow, 50½@51c; No. 2 oats, 41¼@41½c; No. 3 white, 40@40½c; No. 2 rye, 69c; good feeding barley, 46@47c; fair to choice malting, 44@54c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 01; No. 1 Northwestern, $1 02. Timothy seed, $2 85; mess pork, per bbl, $12 55@12 65; lard, per 100 lbs, $6 95@7 00; short rib sides (loose), $7 00@7 25; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 7@7½c; short clear sides (boxed), $7 30@7 45; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 28; clover, contract grade, $12.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	17,000	18,000
Wheat, bu	30,300	15,600
Corn, bu	358,900	344,400
Oats, bu	220,000	170,000
Rye, bu	2,000	1,000
Barley, bu	28,000	1,000

NEW YORK, June 17.—Flour—Receipts, 14,716 barrels; exports, 4,518 barrels; inactive and lower; winter patents, $5 (@5 20; winter straights, $4 80@4 95; Minnesota patents, $4 90@5 25; Minnesota bakers, $3 70@4 00. Rye flour dull. Cornmeal steady.

Grain—Rye nominal. Barley quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 8,000 bushels; spot easy; No. 2 red, nominal elevator; No. 2 red, 81 07½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 81 01¾ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, 1 03¾ f. o. b. afloat. A severe break in July wheat today due to liquidation, was resisted for a time by other months owing to denials from sharp quarters of the recent bearish crop reports. Cables and news all bearish, the whole market weakened and closed ½@¾c net lower; July, 83 42-100@83 43-100, closed 83¼c; December, 84⅝@84¾c, closed 83¾c; December, 84⅝@84¾c, closed 83¾c. Corn—Receipts, 58,100 bushels; exports, 2,800 bushels; sales, 70,000 bushels. Options dull and 40,000 bushels spot; spot easy; No. 2, 50c elevator and 54½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 56½c. No. 2 white, 55½c. Oats—Cotton market was firm until afternoon, when prices declined 5@6 points, closed steady, 5@6 points lower, July closed 85¾c; September closed 85⅝c; December, 50@50⅜c, closed 50c. Oats—Receipts, 126,300 bushels; exports, 3,154 bushels. Spot, easy; mixed oats, 28@32 pounds, 40@41c; natural white, 30@32 pounds, 42@50c; clipped white, 36@42c pounds, 51@53c.

ST. MINNEAPOLIS, June 17.—Wheat—July, 82⅝@82¾c; September, 79¼c; December, 78⅞@78⅝c, on track. No. 1 hard, 86c; No. 1 northern, 84c; No. 2 northern, 91¢. Flour—First patents, $4 90@5 00; second patents, $4 30@4 60; first clears, $3 30@3 60; second clears, $2 45. Bran—In bulk, $15 00; shorts, $16 00.

MILWAUKEE, June 17.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, 98@98½c; No. 2 northern, 96@97c; old, July, 86c bid. Rye—No. 1, 72c. Barley—No. 2, 48@49½c; July, 48¾c. Corn—No. 3, 47½c; July, 48¾c.

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—Wheat—No. 2 red, cash elevator (gaining); July, 82¼@82⅝c; December, 78¾@79c. Corn—No. 2, 47½@47¾c; July, 46¼c; September, 46¼@46⅝c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 41c; July, 37½c; September, 36⅝c. No. 2 white, 44½c. Rye—No. 2, 71c. Flour, 17 cwt—Wheat—No. 2 red, 85c. Corn—No. 2 northern, 50¾c; July, 92¾c; September, 50c.

TOLEDO, June 17.—Clover seed—Cash, $6 10; October, $5 72½; prime alsike, $6 30; August alsike, $6 30; August alsike, $5 56 bid. Prime timothy, $1 45; September timothy, $1 47½.

New Quotations Are Posted for Credit Balances in Oil

The purchasing agencies posted new quotations for credit balances yesterday morning. The price of crude of the Pennsylvania grade was reduced from $1 89 to $1 87. Limas oil based remained the same, being reduced three cents. North Lima was cut from $1 11 to $1 08, and South Lima and Indiana from $1 06 to $1 03. The three Kansas grades and Bartlesville were reduced five cents each. South Neodesha, the best grade of Kansas, is now $1 03; North Neodesha 83c and heavy 55c. Bartlesville is fixed at 87c.

Developments in the fields were again light. The wells drilled in are few and those are for the most part small. On the east side of the Foisom district, Harrison county, the South Penn company has drilled its test on the Lindsay Gray farm through the Gordon and Fifth sand, but filled up 2,400 feet with fluid. In the same district, the South Penn is drilling in the top of the Gordon at its No. 6 on the T. J. Parish farm. The test on the Ely-Higgins farm has been drilled through the Gordon and has filled up 2,000 feet with fluid. The same company has drilled its No. 4 on the Fox-Robinson farm through the Gordon and Fifth sand and found nothing but a small showing of oil in the Gordon. The South Penn company is still fishing at its test on the Elisha Atha farm.

In the Littleton district, in Wetzel county, the South Penn company's No. 2 on the E. Whitlatch farm is holding up at 835 barrels a day. The old reliable No. 1 on this farm is still producing 95 barrels a day. In the Pine Grove district the South Penn company has drilled its No. 4 on the Morton Dulaney farm through the Gordon and has a show for a 20-barrel producer. South of Mannington, Marion county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the Emaline Hays farm and has a 520-barrel producer in the Gordon. In the same district, the same company has completed No. 4 on the B. F. Conway farm and has a 30-barrel producer in the Gordon.

In the Richwood Run district, Wetzel county, the Philadelphia company has drilled its No. 21 on the John Miller tract through the Gordon and fourth sands and has a duster. In the Hebron district, Tyler county, the Carter Oil Company has completed a second test on the Jared Hendershot farm on Cow Run sand. In the Bonds Creek district, in Ritchie county, the same company's No. 3 on the Douglass reserve is holding up at 160 barrels after 24 hours. The Carter company has drilled in its No. 5 on the E. Blair farm and has a show for a 100-barrel producer in the Berea grit. This location is 600 feet northeast of the No. 3 on the same farm, which is still producing 130 barrels a day. The Cresco Oil and Gas Company's No. 1 on the S. I. Silliman farm is now producing 100 barrels a day. In the Sand Fork district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the Charlotte Clarke farm and will not have better than a 10-barrel pumper.

On the Ohio side in the new development, northwest of Woodsfield, Monroe county, John M. Patterson & Co. have drilled their test on the Morgan heirs' farm into the Keener sand and have a show for a natural producer, good for 50 barrels a day or better. This location is northwest of the Southern Oil Company's tester on George Wahl farm. The latter named company has drilled its second test on the Peter Wahl farm through the Keener sand and has a duster. At Antioch, in the Trail farm through the Gordon and has a show for a 20-barrel producer. South of Mannington, Marion county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the Emaline Hays farm and has a 520-barrel producer in the Gordon. In the same district, the same company has completed No. 4 on the B. F. Conway farm and has a 30-barrel producer in the Gordon.

In the Richwood Run district, Wetzel county, the various fields are as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 87; Tiona, $1 72; Corning, $1 87; New Castle, $1 44; Cabell, $1 43; North Lima, $1 08; South Lima and Indiana, $1 06; Macksburg, $1 02; Ragland, 66c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania grade at $1 87.

OIL CITY, June 17.—Credit balances, $1 37; certificates, no bids. Shipments, 57,179 bbls; average, 68,505 bbls; runs, 80,081 bbls; average, 75,678 bbls. Shipments Limas, 49,958 bbls; average, 54,861 bbls; runs, 57,475 bbls; average, 58,585 bbls.

TOLEDO, O., June 17.—A decline of 5c to western oil was announced today. North Lima, $1 08; South Lima and Indiana, $1 06.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The market for coffee futures opened firm at an advance of a partial 5 points which was a very good showing considering the disappointing nature of the European cables. There was a fair demand, however, from houses with European and western connections and later Wall street became a heavy buyer on further adverse crop reports from Brazil, while offerings were not particularly aggressive, so that prices continued to show firmness with the market finally steady at a net gain of 8@10 points. Sales were reported of 93,250 bags, including July at 6.05@6.15c; August at 6.15c; September at 6.25@6.35c; October at 6.40c; December at 6.55@6.60c; March at 6.85@6.90c. Spot Rio, easy at 7½c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3¾c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 27-32c; molasses sugar, 3¼c; refined quiet.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, GA., June 17.—Turpentine steady at 52½c. Rosin steady; A, B, $2 70; C, D, $2 75@2 80; E, F, $2 80@2 85; G, $2 85@2 90; H, $2 90@2 95; I, $3 00; K, $3 10; M, $3 20; N, $3 85; W G, $4 35@4 50; W W, $4 50.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 17.—Turpentine firm at 52½c. Rosin firm.

WILMINGTON, N. C., June 17.—Turpentine firm at 52½c bid. Rosin firm at $2 15. Tar firm at $1 80. Crude turpentine firm at $2 25, $4 00@4 25.

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ULTRA-CONSERVATISM CURTAILING BUSINESS

Still Crop Outlook Is Improving and No Fundamental Weakness Exists.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 17.—Summarizing the commercial situation, R. G. Dun & Co. tomorrow will say:

Industry suffers from an epidemic of ultra-conservatism, emanating apparently from the theory that a season of depression must come every ten years, while the natural effect of a presidential election furnishes another precedent. As a result stocks of merchandise have been reduced, railway traffic is lessened, preparations for future business are curtailed, and less money is distributed in the form of wages, while those having capital to invest prefer their money should not be sold at a profit. Retrenchment has made considerable progress, wage earners so far as rule recognize the importance of accepting reductions in pay. The lake strike has been adjusted, leaving little friction between employes and employes. As the season advances, the outlook improves, and there is no fundamental weakness in the nation's commercial or financial position. Evidences of prosperity in business are numerous, however, railway earnings thus far available for May showing a loss of 7.1 per cent, as compared with 1903, and bank clearings at New York for the last week lost 25.4 per cent, yet at other leading cities there was a small average increase of 3 per cent.

Conditions in the leading manufacturing industry are practically unchanged. Thus far the railways have ordered little rolling stock or supplies, and the inquiry for structural steel is particularly disappointing in view of the fact that building plans filed during May were more numerous than last year. As to value of contemplated work, there were notable gains in Brooklyn, Pittsburgh, Indianapolis and Minneapolis, offset by heavy losses in Philadelphia, Milwaukee, Cincinnati, New Orleans and Detroit. Prices of minor metals are lower and demand small, except that exports of copper continue liberal.

Considering the favorable official and private crop reports, wheat has ruled remarkably firm, the harsh price having a natural effect on foreign demand. In fact it was reported that exporters were reselling wheat at Duluth. Stocks will be low when the new crop is harvested, and domestic consumption has absorbed offerings despite comparative quiet of late at Northwestern mills. Receipts at primary markets were 1,380,190 bushels, against 1,928,886 in the same week last year, while exports from all ports of the United States, flour included, amounted to 1,371,201 bushels, compared with 4,809,002 bushels a year ago. Corn has reacted somewhat from best prices, arrivals of 4,273,617 bushels at western cities exceeding the receipts of 3,220,000 last year, but Atlantic coast shipments were only 143,025 bushels, against 378,002 in 1903.

It is evident that last week's decline in cotton attracted notice, as the shorts on account and the offerings were absorbed by New Orleans operators who directed a boom in July option. Subsequent pressure to cover caused a sharp rally, but early marketing of the first bale of new c

COADJUTOR BISHOP CANEVIN DISTRIBUTED DIPLOMAS TO THE PITTSBURGH COLLEGE GRADUATES

Bijou Theater Crowded at the Twenty-Sixth Annual Exercises of Institution.

FIVE GOLD MEDALS AWARDED

Pittsburgh college, in charge of the fathers of the Holy Ghost, yesterday held its twenty-sixth commencement exercises in the Bijou theater. It was the 26th occasion of the kind, and was signalized by the presence of Coadjutor Bishop J. F. Regis Canevin, who distributed the diplomas.

The theater was crowded with relatives of the graduates and admirers of the institution. On the stage sat the college glee club, the college orchestra, the graduates with Bishop Canevin, Father M. A. Hehir, the president of the college; Father Henry J. McDermott, the vice president; Father John Griffin, the director of music; Father Tobin, vicar general, and Father Keane.

The exercises opened with an overture by the orchestra. Carroll V. Halleran delivered the salutatory in Latin, and the orchestra and glee club gave "Ist in der Stillen Nacht." Edward B. Knaebel delivered an address in German on the celebration of the 1300th anniversary of Pope Gregory the Great. Daniel F. Dougherty sang "The King's Highway." Carroll V. Halleran and Edward B. Kelly played a piano duet and John F. Malloy sang "The Soldier's Grave." "Business Education" was the title of the oration of Francis G. Cawley, who was followed by Richard T. Ennis and John V. Connolly in a vocal duet.

The Church and the Negro.

In an oration, "The Church and the Negro," Joseph A. Nelson told what the Catholic church has done for the material and spiritual welfare of the black man. The glee club sang a second chorus with orchestral accompaniment, and John F. Malloy spoke on "The Catholic Church, the Mother of the Arts." The glee club and orchestra followed with "Old Glory Leads the Way."

In his address Father Hehir dwelt on the importance of education, calling attention to the fact that in business the college-bred man was now appreciated because of the training his mind received, enabling him to grasp details and apply them to general practice. Then the diplomas and medals were conferred. As Father Hehir called the names the recipients stepped from the group on the stage and received the sheepskins from the hands of Bishop Canevin.

The degree of bachelor of arts was conferred on Stanislaus Aloysius Dura, Edward Bernard Knaebel, Joseph Aloysius Nelson, Carroll Vincent Halleran, John Francis Malloy and Michael James Relihan.

Special Certificate Awarded.

A special certificate in the classical and scientific department was awarded to Francis Henry Pietrzycki. In the commercial department diplomas were awarded to Francis Grover Cawley, Edward Bowman Yellig, Henry Ross Slater and John Peter Zimmerman.

Undergraduates received medals, as follows: Silver medal for elocution, division III., awarded to Michael L. Bandyk; silver medal for elocution, division VII., awarded to Joseph J. Neighan; silver medal for elocution, division I., awarded to Edward F. Jackson; gold medal for oratory in the college department, awarded to Percy A. Tull, and gold medal for Christian doctrine in the academic classes, awarded to Charles A. Mayer.

Medals were awarded to the graduates as follows: Gold medal for excellence in commercial department, awarded to Francis G. Cawley; gold medal for bookkeeping, awarded to Edward B. Kelly; gold medal for mathematics and science, awarded to John F. Malloy; gold medal for philosophy and classics, awarded to

First row—Carroll V. Halleran, John F. Malloy, Very Rev. M. A. Hehir, Stanislaus A. Dura, Edward B. Knaebel. Back row—Joseph A. Nelson, Hubert E. Gaynor, Michael J. Relihan, Francis H. Pietrzycki.

Joseph A. Nelson; gold medal for languages, awarded to Edward B. Knaebel. The donors of the medals were: The Rt. Rev. R. Phelan; the Very Rev. Francis L. Tobin, V. G., rector of St. Mary's church, Pittsburgh, Pa.; The Rev. Francis Keane, rector Sacred Heart church; the Rev. John W. O'Connell, rector St. Peter's church, Allegheny; the Rev. Stephen J. Schramm, rector St. George's church, South Side; the Very Rev. Thomas F. Walsh, rector St. Mary of Mercy's; the Rev. Joseph Vogt, rector St. Joseph's church, Verona; A. V. D. Watterson, Henry E. Seibert and James P. Wall.

Religious Basis of Education.

The valedictory was delivered by Michael J. Relihan.

Bishop Canevin made a brief address, in which he said: "The character of society, the welfare of our republic, civilization itself, is wrapped up in the education of young men. No matter how much some of our fellow American citizens may differ with us in religion, no matter how they may argue for a secular education, no professing Christian among them denies that education should have a religious basis. If man is to be moral, his education must be Christian; if he is to be religious, his education must be Christian. If men are to be Christians, they must be educated where Christianity is taught in all its fullness; where its teachings are inculcated day by day."

CLASS DAY EXERCISES.

Fourteen of Curry College Graduating Class Entertain a Large Audience.

The class day exercises of the class of 1904 of Curry college were held last night in the hall of the college. Fourteen of the 80 members of the class had been selected for the exercises. The room was crowded, even the ante-rooms being filled.

After the invocation by the Rev. Samuel Heath, Jr., the president of the class, Charles B. Porter, delivered an address Charles W. J. Simons spoke the salutatory, Miss Minnie Bechter played a piano solo, Jacob S. Goldenburg delivered an oration on "Benedict Arnold," Miss Anna Cunningham read an essay on "Pittsburgh's Industries," Miss Twila J. Christy sang and John H. Ackieson read a poem, "The Nation's Dead." Miss Anna Hadden recited the history of the class, Miss Lottie Simons sang a solo, and Clarence H. Bock spoke on "Improved Opportunities, the Secret of National Strength." Willis Vincent recited the class poem and Miss Edna Eggers sang Simeon Bissell's composition, "Cupid and the Flowers." Miss Mollie Redman evoked laughter in her "Prophecy," a forecast of the future of the members of the class. The valedictory was delivered by Miss Ella Bell Lloyd.

The annual excursion for the faculty, students and friends of Curry college will be given on Tuesday, June 28. The day will be spent in Cascade park, near New Castle. The commencement exercises will be held on Monday evening in the Carnegie music hall.

Catholic Students Graduate.

Members of St. Mary's Catholic High school held their annual commencement exercises in St. Mary's hall, Webster avenue, last night. The address to the graduates was made by Attorney Ambrose B. Read and the Rt. Rev. J. F. Regis Canevin presented the diplomas and pronounced the benediction. The Rev. William Kelty also delivered an address. The members of the class are William Joseph Harrington, John Michael Gallagher, James Edward Ford, Florence Elizabeth Weakland, Catherine Louise O'Donnell, Mary Veronia Kelly, Ella Bernice Cunningham, Ella Mary Larkin, Marie Cecilia Murray, Mary Cecilia Leech, Margaret Elizabeth O'Brien and Anna Rose Leahy. Vocal solos were sung by Miss N. Carr.

Twin Brothers Ran Close Race for First Honors.

Jerome Alexander Miller, a twin brother of Thomas Alan Miller, who won the highest honors in the Allegheny High school class, gave his brother a remarkably even race for the rank. When the general averages were totalled it was found that the two differed but two-tenths of 1 per cennt.

Miss Eliza Brown Johnston, who won the scholarship at the Pennsylvania College for Women and the medal for the literary essay, is a daughter of Prof. E. P. Johnston of the Seventh ward schools, Allegheny. Her theme was "Character Development as Displayed in the Play of 'Macbeth.'"

Greer College Commencement.

The eighth annual commencement of Greer college, Braddock, was held last evening in Carnegie music hall, Braddock. The following class was graduated: L. A. Colclaser, Miss Laura Marshall, Charles L. Cruzan, Miss Margaret A. Peterson, Joseph L. Ebner, Jr., Bernard W. Allman, Miss Anna M. Swan, Miss Martha M. Fearon, Miss Gertrude M. Duffy, John J. Ebner, Miss Minnie E. Flygar, Miss Gertrude V. Getz, Miss Elizabeth M. Davidson, Jessie P. Smith, Miss Alice Durstine, Miss Mary E. Jackson, Miss Henriette Heckenauer, Miss Helen Gallup and Miss Olive B. Sickman.

KLAW AND ERLANGER ESCAPE DAMAGES FOR IROQUOIS FIRE

CHICAGO, June 17.—According to a decision given here today by Judge Brown, in the state circuit court, Marc Klaw and Abraham Erlanger, owners of the "Mr. Bluebeard Company," will escape penalties which might have followed their connection with the Iroquois theater fire last December. In the court's decision it is declared that the theatrical managers must be served personally with summonses and as neither is a resident of Chicago personal service is impossible.

Traveler Accused of Bigamy.

MARSHALTOWN, IA., June 17.—Edwin J. Hoover of Iowa Falls, traveling for a wholesale house in this city, was arrested at Webster City today on a charge of bigamy, preferred by Nettie Travis Hoover, his first wife, who lives at Plymouth, Ind. He married his second wife at Dubuque two years ago.

Negro Boy Guilty of Murder.

KANSAS CITY, MO., June 17.—At Kansas City, Kan., Louis Gregory, aged 19, the negro boy who shot and killed Roy Martin, white, a high-school boy, in April last, and who narrowly escaped being lynched, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree. In Kansas this means life imprisonment.

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NORTH SIDE HIGH SCHOOL GIVES DIPLOMAS TO 117

Impressive Exercises Mark the Commencement at the Nixon, and Large Audience Eagerly Hears the Announcement of the Honors.

The stage of the Nixon theater covered by the graduating class of the Allegheny high school presented an attractive scene last evening to the big auditorium crowded with the relatives and friends of the graduates. The class numbered 117, the girls being in large majority. Their white gowns made the more impressive display from the high colors of the many flowers.

The entire house had been reserved and it was not until 8 o'clock that the theater was open to the general public. In a few moments after that time every seat had been occupied.

Dr. James E. Morrow of the Allegheny high school was the master of ceremonies and awarded the diplomas. Rabbi J. Leonard Levy presented the medals offered by various friends of the school.

Five medals in all had been offered but only three were awarded last night, there being no contest for the Rosalia Rauh medal or the Ruth J. Levy medal. Before presenting the medals, the rabbi addressed the audience which crowded the theater and expressed the hope that next year it might be his good fortune to be able to award the whole five. "It was," he said, "a source of great pleasure to be able to testify to the very high excellence of the essays submitted." The following is the list of the medals offered and the names of those to whom they were awarded.

The Abraham Lippman gold medal; first honor prize in the graduating student whose average for the last two years of the course shall be the highest; donated by Abraham Lippman, won by Thomas Alan Miller.

The Matilda Wertheimer gold medal; English literature essay for the best original essay by a member of the graduating class, on a literary theme; donated by Samuel Wertheimer, won by Eliza Brown Johnston.

The Fannie Hamburger Aaron gold medal, for the best original essay on a historical theme; donated by Louis I. Aaron, won by Edith Christine Bates.

Mr. Miller in addition to the medal wins a university scholarship and Miss Johnston wins a scholarship at the Pennsylvania College for Women.

Prof. Morrow in awarding the diplomas called each graduate to the front of the stage handing to the boy or girl the mark of the completion of his work.

The invocation was delivered by the Rev. Dr. John A. Henderson pastor of the Third Presbyterian church, Allegheny, and the address was made by Dr. Wallace Tharp, pastor of the First Christian church, Allegheny. His subject was "Clouds."

The Rev. E. E. Bates spoke the benediction, and then, after many of the audience had gone, the class sang its song of parting. The list of graduates follows:

With great honor—Thomas Alan Miller.

With honor—Mary J. Chambers, Eliza Brown Johnston, George S. Coleman, Jerome Alexander Miller, Mabel McCoy Henderson, Ada Christine Park.

Academical, four years—Cora Leutonia Baldinger, Olive Marie Lang, Bertha Louise Flisinger, Jean Irwin Newell, Clara Anna Wiederhold, Ina Klineman, Blanche Eva Ross.

Normal, four years—Mabel Ross Bardsley, Anna DeVan Shannon, Emma Mills Day, Hazel Kirke Shipman Anna Katherine Kornman, Nellie Brooks Stedeford.

Academical, four years—Edith Elizabeth Bonsall, Edith Christine Bates, William Victor Bragdon, Edgar Thomas Chatham, Elste Shannon Dean, Charlotte K. Fleck, Stella May Gardner, Laura Matilda Kaiser, Andrew Shannon Lacock, Robert Plumer Morton, Edward Rahm, Jr., William Walker, Maude Eletha Williams, Anna Margaret Bonsall, Elsie Adams Bulford, Maude D. Clayton, William John Dixon, Neville Adrian Fleeson, Rebekah Agnes Glenn, Althea Mason Howard, Grace H. Knox, Emily Chapman Logan, Margaret Marie McKee, Andrew T. Park, Etelka G. Schoenfeld, Edith Agnes Spencer, Alice Theresa Cawley, Welday Scott Elliott, Edna Lilburn Francies, Jean Hamilton, Simeon Luther Kuidell, Max Marshall, George Stuart Monks, Albert R. Neeson, Mary Anne Porter, Clara Selden Simpson, Lena Teplitz, Margaret Julia Wilson, Elizabeth Gertrude Warnock.

Commercial, two years—George L. Alston, Hulda Billeter, Edna Blanche Brannan, Grace Confer, Marcella M. Donovan, Eunice Virginia Gosnell, Elizabeth Hunter, William Edward Kletty, Elizabeth A. Kuehn, Mamie Love, Charles H. McGregor, Elizabeth Ralston, Ethel N. Saulters, Elva L. Stauffer, George William Vetter, Edward L. Weil, Walter A. Wirth, Martha Arnheim, Isabel Bowen, Mabel Brewer, Katherine E. Connell, Mary Eva O. Ebner, Johanna Helmer, John H. Hunter, Ruth King, Georges R. Landers, Lillian M. Mayer, Harriet C. Nevins, Mary Ramsey, Leo J. Schenkel, Mary Stein, Irene Elsie Voits, Margaretta P. Wiley, Alice May Young, Herman G. Beitel, Herbert S. Brewer, Franklin Coar, Nellie G. Dervitis, George F. Ertenkauf, Nellie Herman, Marian Jackson, Cecilia Kohl, William F. Loest, Ella McCann, W. Garfield Paulson, John Rowbottom, Caroline Schrodt, Christian Spring, Alberta G. Vandevort, Mary Elinor Wallace, Mary H. Williamson.

WAR CORRESPONDENT IS IN PRISON AT PORT ARTHUR

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., June 17.—A cablegram to the Indianapolis News, from Stanley Washburn, special correspondent of the Chicago News at Chefoo, says that Hector Fuller, staff war correspondent of the Indianapolis News, was captured by four Russian soldiers on June 13 and taken to Port Arthur. He was blindfolded and placed in prison. Fuller started from Chefoo in an open boat with two Chinese oarsmen for Port Arthur about June 10.

Dowie Coming to America.

LIVERPOOL, June 17.—John Alexander Dowie, accompanied by his wife and son, arrived here tonight, and immediately went on board the Cunard line steamer Lucania. He will sail tomorrow for New York.

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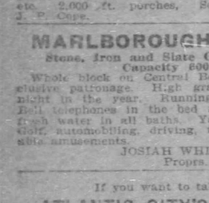

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